

## Week 9: Happy Halloween!



Happy Halloween! We hope you all enjoyed your Halloween weekends and that you are enjoying this cold weather! We have lots of events for you to enjoy this week, from GEM Gatherings to community mixers. Check them out below!

For PDF versions of archived, visit the IME website or click this link.

## What's Happening

Here's what's in this week's IME Newsletter:

#### IME Events

- GEM Gathering! Halloween Cookie Decorating
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- First Generation Celebration Dinner
- A Slice of Fun: Come meet Assistant Director of IME, Erin
- Volunteer at Capitol Hill Elementary School!
- Feeling stressed? Want to decompress with someone? Drop-in Office Hours
- November is Indigenous Peoples' Heritage Month!

#### More Events

- New Course in Spring 2024: Intro to Ethnic Studies
- Possible QTPOC Group Forming
- Come Celebrate Dia de los Muertos with us!
- Equity, Inclusion, and Justice Committee Soup Mixer!

- MSA and Arabic Club: Community Check-in
- Gender Studies Symposium: Call For Proposals
- Trip to Japanese Garden!
- Circles of Solace Grief Group



GEM Gathering! Tea And Tunes: Sip, Paint, And Groove

#### Thursday, November 2 5:00-6:00pm IME Suite

Join us for a laid-back afternoon at "Tea and Tunes" where good vibes, creativity, and relaxation come together effortlessly. Sip on a variety of teas, let your artistic side shine with guided painting, and groove to live music. Whether you're looking to create, unwind, or connect with fellow students, this is your perfect escape.

No need to dress up; just bring your easygoing spirit, an appetite for tea, and an open mind.



RSVP Here





# A Slice of Fun: Come meet Assistant Director of IME, Erin

#### Monday, November 13 11:30am-1:00pm IME Suite

Join us in the IME suite for a pizza party and meet Assistant Director Erin. Enjoy some pizza and wonderful conversations! Looking forward to seeing you there!

Please emailmulticultural@lclark.edu for questions and accommodations

#### First Generation Celebration Dinner

Tuesday, November 7 5:00-7:00pm Stamm Hall

Hello First Gens,

We are excited to invite you to the First Generation Celebration Dinner! At this dinner, we aim to create a supportive and welcoming environment for firstgeneration students, faculty, and staff. It's an opportunity to share your journey, connect with like-minded individuals, and celebrate the strength and resilience of being a first-generation individual.

Please RSVP by November 1 to secure your spot at this event.



# Volunteer at Capitol Hill Elementary School!

Partner with Capitol Hill Elementary to intentionally connect students of color with mentors of color from Lewis & Clark, holding space for students & mentors to meet & develop relationships.

Transportation will be provided for those who participate!

Questions? Email joannz@lclark.edu or msauers@ppn.net



**Interest Form** 

## Feeling stressed? Want to decompress with someone? Drop-in Office Hours

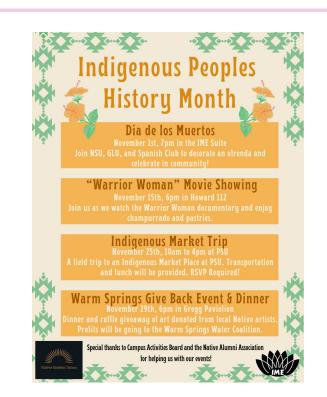
Whether it's about academics, finding new friends or everything happening in the news -Connect the Joann or Erin during drop-in hours this week!

Monday: 2 to 3pm Tuesday: 9-10am Wednesday: 9-10am Thursday: 3:30-5pm Friday: 9-11:30am

## November is Indigenous Peoples' Heritage Month!

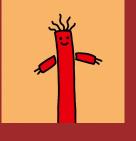
Join the Indigenous Peoples' Heritage Month Planning Committee for a month of events that center our Indigenous communities. See the flyer to learn more.

Please email IME (multicultural@lclark.edu) or NSU (nsu@lclark.edu) to learn more!





## More Events



## NEW CLASS SPRING 2024 ETHS INTRODUCTION TO 200 ETHNIC STUDIES

Through a transdisciplinary study of the social production of conceptions of racial and ethnic difference, students will develop tools for approaching race and ethnicity as categories of analysis.

The course will explore a wide range of themes including slavery, colonialism, imperialism, capitalism, gender, sexuality, borderlands, immigration, diaspora, indigeneity, space, and place, through the examination of academic texts as well as art, literature, music, film, and digital media.

## PROFESSOR MAGALÍ RABASA MWF 12:40-1:40PM NO PREREQUISITES

QUESTIONS? mrabasa@lclark.edu

# New Course in Spring 2024: Intro to Ethnic Studies

Introduction to Ethnic Studies is a new course offered for the first time in Spring 2024!

Professor Magalí Rabasa MWF 12:40-1:40pm No prerequisites.

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## Possible QTPOC Group Forming

QSU is hoping to form an informal support group run by and for queer, trans, students of color. We hope to create a community and provide QTPOC students with a safe, low-key space to talk about issues they may not feel comfortable talking about elsewhere. This group will be hosted by QSU coordinators who identify as queer students of color.

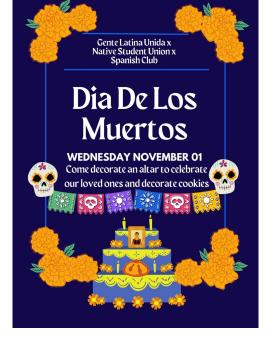
In order to gauge interest, we ask that you fill out the linked interest form and when2meet. Please email qsu@lclark.edu with any questions.



Wednesday, November 1 7:00-9:00pm IME Suite

Gente Latina Unida, Native Student Union, and Spanish Club will be hosting an event on Wednesday, November 1st in the IME Suite to celebrate Dia de los Muertos! We will have sugar cookie decorating, an informative presentation, and snacks. We will also be building an altar with photos of loved ones, flowers, and food.

Please fill out the RSVP to let us know you'll be attending, if you plan to bring a photo of your loved one, and if you have a song to request!



RSVP Here



## Equity, Inclusion, and Justice Committee Soup Mixer!

Wednesday, November 1 5:00pm Tamarack Lounge

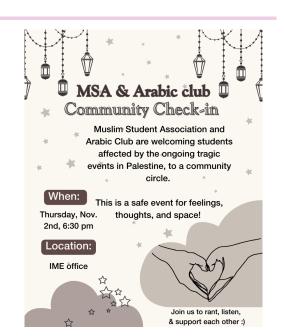
EIJC is hosting a Soup Mixer this Wednesday, November 1st at 5:00pm in the Tamarack Lounge. Come on down to enjoy hot lentil & tomato soups, hangout with us, and potentially learn more about who we are and what we do. This event will end when we run out of soup.

# MSA and Arabic Club: Community Check-in

Thursday, November 2 6:30-7:30pm IME Suite

Muslim Student Association and Arabic Club are welcoming students affected by the ongoing tragic events in Palestine to a community circle. Join us to rant, listen, and support each other.

This is a safe event for feelings, thoughts, and space!



43rd Annual Gender Studies Symposium Lewis & Clark College

> Being Online March 6-8, 2024

go.lclark.edu/gender/call

We invite submissions for panel discussions, individual papers, interactive workshops, and artistic productions, especially those focused on **gender** and sexuality in relation to digital technologies

Call for

Proposals

Proposals due by 5 p.m November 3, 2023

## Gender Studies Symposium: Call for Proposals

We are accepting proposals for this year's Gender Studies Symposium, "Being Online"! Proposals due by 5pm on Friday, November 3rd.

> Learn More Here

### Trip to Japanese Garden!

Saturday, November 11 Meet at 12:00 at the Pio stop

Affinity groups are excited to host a collaboration outing in which we go to the Japanese Garden! You can learn more about the Japanese Garden on their website.

The trip will be on Nov. 11 (Saturday): we will take the Pio at 12pm & transfer to Trimet to go to the Japanese Garden!

Please fill below the Google interest form so that we can order the Trimet bus tickets accordingly and have an estimation of the number of people who will be joining us!



## TRIP TO JAPANESE GARDEN!

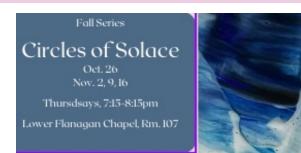
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The trip will be on Nov. 11 (Saturday) and we plan to take the pio @ 12pm. Sign up for Google interest form

here!

**Interest Form** 



## Circles of Solace Grief Group

These are challenging times. Many of us are carrying deep grief and sorrow in our heartsfor our world, communities, and personal losses. The circles offer a safe and sacred place to share our grief-not as a problem to be solved, but as a vital and healing encounter with an essential experience of being human.

No weekly commitment required. The fall series of Circles of Solace will meet four times: Oct. 26, Nov. 2, 9, and 16th from 7:15-8:15pm. Come to all or any.

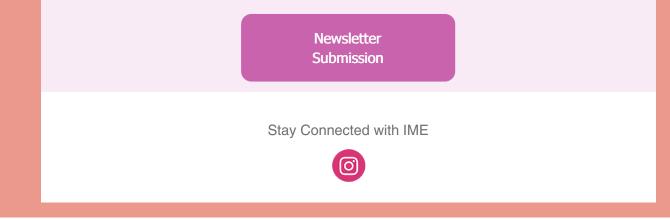
Experience silence, journaling, poetry, open sharing in community. Open to CAS students.

Hosted by Hilary Martin Himan, Chaplain and Director of Spiritual Life

## Visit the IME Suite: 9-5pm Monday to Friday If you want to meet with us, or need a place to study/hangout -- come to the IME Suite on the 3rd floor of Fowler.

# Interested in submitting something to be added to the IME Newsletter?

We know advertising is important for your clubs, organizations, and offices. The IME office loves to help spread the word of awesome events and opportunities. If you would like to submit something to be added to the IME newsletter, please fill out the form below. The IME newsletter goes out every Monday morning (or Tuesday if Monday is a holiday). All submissions to make it into the weekly newsletter must be done by <u>Monday at 8am</u> or they will be added to the following week's newsletter.



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