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Upcoming Events

Sept. 18-22 PCA&D celebrates Civics Week (*see events below*)

Sept. 18 Student Council election info session, 11:30 am to 12:30 pm, Co-Lab

Sept. 19 Lyceum support group meeting, 7-8:30 pm, Room 100 (*see below*)

Sept. 20 Student Council election info session, 11:30 am to 12:30 pm, Co-Lab

Sept. 20 Mi Gente club meeting, 11:30 am, Hayden Gallery

Sept. 21 Demo by B&H Camera, 11 am to 1:30 pm, Atrium (*see below*)

Sept. 22 Student Council election info session, 11:30 am to 12:30 pm, Co-Lab

Sept. 22 Student Life Fall Party, 3:30 pm(*see below*)

Sept. 22 Yes& Improv Club meeting, 3:30-5 pm, Learning Commons (*see below*)

Sept. 22 Esports Gaming Night, 4-6 pm, 4th-floor Aesthetics Lab (*see below*)

Sept. 25-29 Student Council campaigning (*see below*)

Sept. 26 AIGA Speaker Series with **Tom Newmaster**, 11:30 am, Room 005 (*see below*)

Oct. 6 Lancaster First Friday, Gallery open, 5-8 pm

Oct. 6 First Friday York, [Arte de La Borinqueña reception](#), PCA&D-York, 5-8 pm

Through Oct. 22 Foundation exhibition in Main Gallery

If you have news, an event, or an announcement you'd like to share, please email Jen Kopf, at jkopf@pcad.edu.

Important information: 2023-24 Student Council

Student Council elections for 2023-24 are coming up — here's what you need to know:

PCA&D Student Council represents the interests of the PCA&D student body. As a member of Student Council, you would help to plan community events; create rules, norms, and traditions that strengthen our community; and represent and advocate on behalf of student interests. Please see the [PCA&D Student Council Constitution](#) as well, which discusses the role of Student Council more thoroughly.

This September is the beginning of a new election cycle for Executive Members of the Student Council. The positions up for election include:

- * Student Council President (responsible for overseeing Student Council)
- * Student Council Vice President (responsible for liaising with student body)
- * Student Council Treasurer (responsible for overseeing budgets & resources)
- * Student Council Secretary (responsible for communications and record-keeping)

Please see the [Student Council Constitution](#) for more in-depth descriptions of each role and its responsibilities.

If you are interested in running for a Student Council position: please use [THIS LINK - DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY](#) to officially record your intent to run for office. You will also need to select AT LEAST ONE of our campaign-running workshops to attend during the lunch hour (11:30 am to 12:30 pm) today, Monday, Sept. 18, Wednesday the 20th, or Friday the 22nd. If you are interested in running for office but cannot attend any of these meetings, please email ccrossett@pcad.edu to make alternate arrangements ASAP.

These workshops will help you develop your strategy and launch your campaign. Campaigning for Executive Member positions will occur Sept. 25-29, with voting for Student Council positions over the weekend of Sept. 29-Oct. 2. The winners of the

Student Council elections will be officially announced at the Student Council Meeting on Friday, Oct. 6 during the lunch hour (11:30 am to 12:30 pm) in the Co-Lab. 11:30 am on Fridays in the Co-Lab will be the standard meeting time for Student Council this year. All Student Council meetings are open to the PCA&D community.

PCA&D CIVICS WEEK!



Marking Constitution Day: Enter raffle for Downtown Dollars from Student Life

Yesterday was Constitution Day, celebrating the rights enshrined in the US Constitution -- and what better way to kick off a week marking things we all can do to become good citizens than picking up a pocket-size copy of this document? They'll be out in the CoLab

and Learning Commons for you to grab. AND... be sure to check out today's Story quizlet on Student Life's Instagram (that's [@pcad_studentlife](#)) that enters you into a raffle for Downtown Dollars that you can spend — like free money! — in downtown Lancaster.



Tuesday: Get info on your voting status, register to vote

Have questions about voting? Are you registered? Need an absentee ballot or to check/change your

registration? Come to the CoLab and Learning Commons this Tuesday to get paper copies for registration, or check the Student Life Instagram at [@pcad_studentlife](#) for more information on how to be an active voter!

What else is going on for Civics Week?

In addition to registering to vote and marking Constitution Day, what else can you do to get involved? Check out the list below of local organizations to get started:

- Public Art/Murals: [PACE](#)
- City-wide events: [LOOP](#)
- Get [Trauma Informed certified](#) and support your community!
- [ACLU of PA](#)
- Attend a [City Council](#) meeting!

- [YWCA Lancaster](#)
 - [Community Action Partnership](#)
 - [Lancaster LGBTQ+ Coalition](#)
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Student Life IG: We're back!

If you want to be the first to know about what's going on around campus — club activities, Student Life events, and more — be sure to follow the re-ignited Student Life Instagram account, at [@pcad_studentlife!](#) As the school year really ramps up, the Feed and Stories will be full of dates, celebrations, and events that you won't want to miss.



**EDU
Advantage**

B&H photo demo Thursday

This Thursday, Sept. 21, B&H Photo will demonstrate new equipment during the Common Lunch Hour to all who are interested. Photography & Video majors: you'll be getting a specific equipment demonstration

from 12:30-1:30 pm. See you in the Atrium!

**PCA&D'S AIGA STUDENT GROUP
PRESENTS**

SPEAKER SERIES

2023

FEATURING:

**Package Designer Extraordinaire,
TOM NEWMASER
of FORCE PKG**

**WHEN: TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26th
@11:30 AM**

**WHERE: ROOM 005
(WATER ST. BACK ENTRANCE)**



**scan to register and
have a chance to WIN
PCA&D and FORCE SWAG!**

Yes& Improv Club announces Friday meetings

Like acting and comedy? Join Yes&, PCA&D's improv and theater club! They meet every Friday in the Learning Commons, 3:30-5 pm, for improv games, writing tips, monologues, snacks and so much more. For more information, reach out to club President **Thorne Havener**, havener1288@pcad.edu, or supervising professor **Michelle Fogel**, mfogel@pcad.edu.

Doodle Caboodle returns every Friday

Doodle Caboodle with Alicia is back! Take a lunch break every Friday and join **Alicia Groff** in the Learning Commons for some sketching/designing/learning fun! The lineup for the rest of September:

- Sept. 22: Movie Screen Cap Sketching
- Sept. 29: Pattern Making

Questions? Email aliciagroff@pcad.edu.



Join Esports Friday for Gaming Night, 4th-floor lab

This Friday, join Esports in the 4th-floor Aesthetics Lab for a Gaming Night, 4-6 pm! The computers are loaded up with a number of games to play ... folks could hop to play League of Legends, Fortnite, Team Fight Tactics, Valorant, Overwatch, or Minecraft together. Then outside the lab, Switch consoles will be set up for Super Smash Bros. and Pokemon Unite. Join in, and show us what you got!

Student Life celebrating Fall with party this Friday

Sept. 22 is the First Day of Fall, and Student Life is ready to party! Join in this Friday, from 3:30-5 pm for some mini-pumpkin pour-over art, cider, and snacks. See you in the Atrium for a great time celebrating the arrival of cooler weather and pumpkin season!



'You Matter' letter campaign in the CoLab

September is National Suicide Prevention Awareness Month and, to raise that awareness, Student Life will be sponsoring a *You Matter* Letter Bank. Every Tuesday and Thursday through the end of the month, you can stop by the CoLab during your lunch break. Write a peer support letter of support and compassion — or take one, if you could use some encouragement.

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August 21 - October 22, 2023

**Open to the public
weekdays until 8:00 PM
weekends until 5:00 PM**

Now up in the Gallery: *Foundation* exhibition

Foundation, an exhibition of more than 100 artworks from last year's Foundation class, shows the beginning of a PCA&D student's journey as they learn the principles of design, techniques, and develop the skills they need to pursue a career in the arts. Enjoy a variety of two- and three-dimensional artwork, including digital work. Through Oct. 22.

Arte de La Borinqueña

programming highlighted at
PCA&D-York location

Pennsylvania College of Art & Design is excited to announce that portions of the landmark exhibition *Arte de La Borinqueña* will be showcased at



PCA&D-York through Dec.10. The exhibition will be open to the public during programming that includes a talk with PCA&D faculty member **Mike Hawthorne**, an award-winning graphic novelist and one of the many artists associated with the [La Borinqueña](#) series. All ages are welcome. Additional programming and events can be found online at pcad.edu/event-calendar. Some highlights include an [Arte de La Borinqueña Reception](#), a family-friendly First Friday event that will take place at PCA&D-York, 133 S. Duke St., York, from 5-8 pm on Friday, Oct. 6.

Through the medium of a serialized comic, artist **Edgardo Miranda-Rodriguez** has amplified and highlighted the importance of telling stories about

Puerto Rico's history, exploring present-day social and environmental issues, and celebrating the diversity of the Puerto Rican diaspora. La Borinqueña launched in 2016 under Miranda-Rodriguez's studio, [Somos Arte](#), where he serves as Creative Director and is a noted philanthropist. The story came at a pivotal moment for Latinx and Hispanic communities as political tension and a series of natural disasters rocked the Caribbean.

La Borinqueña has become a real-life superhero with a suite of graphic novels, a special anthology, *Ricanstruction*, [benefitting grassroots organizations on the islands of Puerto Rico post-Hurricane Maria](#), partnerships with DC Comics, Chocolate Cortés, [NRDC](#), and more.

Your web resource: The Student Portal

The College's Student Portal webpage provides links to some of the most-needed information. **You can find this link to the Student Portal at the very bottom right corner of the homepage at PCAD.edu.**

There, you'll find official College dates, such as holidays; class times; research links; links to academic support and counseling help; and much more.



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