



COMMUNITY SERVICE & CIVIC ENGAGEMENT NEWSLETTER

January 26-February 8

Welcome back to campus! JELLO kicked off our calendar of service and civic engagement events last week during their annual week of service. A group of 11 students volunteered at the Wadsworth Atheneum, Habitat for Humanity and the Church of the Good Shepherd.

February 1 Apply to join Habitat for Humanity on a Spring Break Trip

Habitat is recruiting students to participate in their annual service trip. During the trip, participants will help build houses at a site in Delaware. To apply to participate, fill out [this application](#) February 1. Contact [Sarah Messenger '18](#) with any questions.

February 2 SAIL Spring Involvement Fair

5:00-7:00 p.m. Washington Room, Mather Hall 2nd Floor
Attend the fair to learn about all of Trinity's student groups and how to get involved.

February 6 Habitat for Humanity Build

7:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Meet at Mather Driveway
Help Trinity's Habitat for Humanity chapter build a house. Transportation to and from the site will be provided. No building experience necessary. To sign up, email [Monica Mhina '17](#)

February 6 ACES Souperbowl Food Drive

11:00 a.m.-4:00 p.m. Stop and Shop on Jordan Lane, Wethersfield
The day before Super Bowl Sunday, ACES is running a food drives at a local supermarkets to collect perishable food donations for the [Hands on Hartford Backpack Nutrition Program](#). Contact [Georgie Wynn '16](#) for more information.

Spring 2016 Preview

Hit the ground running with community service this semester. Visit [our website](#) to learn about all the groups affiliated with our office.

January

- [January Experience of Living, Learning and Outreach \(JELLO\)](#)

February

- ACES SouperBowl Food Drive
- [7th Annual Bantam Bazaar](#)
- Best Buddies Valentine's Day Party
- Red Cross Blood Drive with Psi U

March

- ACES Princess and the Prom Drive
- [Best Buddies Spread the Word to End the Word Campaign](#)
- Habitat Spring Break Trip - Delaware

February 6 Talents of Hartford

6:00 p.m. 285 Zion Street

Enjoy a wonderful evening of music, poetry, and art provided by local artists. Snacks and refreshments will be provided. This event is organized by Visions Create Art and Hartford Happy.

Announcements:

Donate items to be sold at Trinity's largest tag sale, the 7th Annual Bantam Bazaar on February 18th. Drop your items off at the Community Service Office by February 12th. Contact Joe Barber or Shanelle Morris '16 if you have any questions.

The Christian Activities Council is recruiting people to join their Adventures in the City Freedom School team this summer. These paid positions include an opportunity to participate in a national training at the Children's Defense Fund Freedom School Center in Tennessee. Learn more and apply here.

- Hartford has it! Take a look at Real Hartford's and Hartford.com's calendars to find out what's happening in our city.

April

- ACES Annual Auction
- Lion's Club Annual Wine and Cheese Mixer and Silent Auction
- REEL Youth Hartford Film Festival
- Relay for Life

May

- Dump and Run
- SambaFest
- Trinity Film Festival