



Whitman Today

Thursday, October 15, 2020

Cook With Chef Jon

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Your Whitman College Chef, Jon Sodini, has reimagined how we stay connected and is sharing favorite recipes, kitchen tips, and cooking activities.

BON APPÉTIT

Step-by-step instructions for quick pickles. Knife skills. The importance of (just enough) salt. Executive Chef Jon Sodini brings his passion for cooking to the Whitman community in a new video series available on [the Cafe Bon Appetit website](#). Challenge yourself with one of the weekly instructional videos or submit a request for culinary inspiration and Chef Jon will send you recipes and ideas.

Announcements

Library Beginning Archives Construction Project

Penrose Library Director Dalia Corkrum and Archivist Ben Murphy are pleased to report that construction will begin soon on the G. Thomas and Nanette Edwards Archives Classroom on the first floor of Penrose Library. This project is made possible by memorial gifts from the Edwards family and grateful alumni and friends that were designated toward the creation of this space honoring the longtime Whitman professor of history and his wife.

Items in the Eells Northwest Collection will not circulate during construction and the Archives may be delayed in responding to inquiries. Please get in touch early if you have questions for the Archives during the rest of the semester!

Register Now for Whitman's First-Ever Virtual Career Fair

Mark your calendars! Whitman's first-ever Virtual Career Fair is on Oct. 21 from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. and registration is now open. Register for group presentations, sign up for one-on-one time with employers, build your own schedule and attend for as long as you are able. There will be a wide range of industries represented. Check out [the Virtual Career Fair website](#) to see them all and claim your spot.

Coronavirus in Walla Walla

Walla Walla County currently has 42 active cases of COVID-19, all of whom are isolating at home.

There were no new cases of COVID-19 reported in the Whitman community over the past week.

New Contact Tracing on Campus

Many of you who are on campus are familiar with the app you use for your daily wellness checks. If you have an Android device, contact tracing is already up and running in the Everbridge app you have downloaded. If you have an iOS device, you must download a separate app that performs the contact tracing functions. We have outlined the [steps for downloading the contact tracing app for iOS](#) on our website. If you are an Android user, you can also find [downloading instructions for Android devices](#) on the Whitman website.

Participation is key when it comes to contact tracing. The more people that use the app, the more accurate our ability to trace and stop the spread of coronavirus in the Whitman community. We see this as an integral part of planning for the spring semester and it will be essential if we are able to return everyone to campus in the spring.

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[Walla Walla Impact Series: Election Year Reflections: How do we drive out voter turnout](#)

Join us for discussions on why voting is important, voter suppression, advocacy, and preparing to be engaged citizens. Our panelists consist of Whitman alumn Sharon Nelson (former WA State Senate majority leader, Timothy Golden (professor of philosophy, W/WU) and Whitman alum Robert Simison (mayor of Meridian, ID).

6 p.m.

[Voting Matters PSA Virtual Screening + Discussion](#)

Tune in for a timely discussion on voting rights this election season, hosted by the Whitman Chapter of Every Vote Counts, a bipartisan college student coalition from across the country committed to voter advocacy and civic education.

[More Upcoming Events](#)

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

Chaplain Chat



What are you carrying that you need to put down? This week Interfaith Chaplain Adam Kirtley shares how a Buddhist children's story helped him move through a frustrating social media conflict to forgiveness and peace.

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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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