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## REMINDERS



Fill out your new FASFA and report that to Nickie or Marilyn. If you need help, please reach out, we can help you.



**SCHEDULE YOUR  
SPRING SEMESTER  
SUCCESS MEETINGS  
WITH NICKIE OR  
MARILYNN BEFORE  
THE END OF THE  
SEMESTER.**

## WELCOME BACK!

Hello Bears and UNC COSI Scholars. We hope everyone had a nice semester break and is surviving the spring semester! Remember, we are here to support you in any way we can. If you need anything this semester, please reach out to Nickie or Marilyn anytime ok

Take Care

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**DON'T FORGET TO  
PICK UP YOUR  
SWAG BAGS IN  
NICKIE'S OFFICE  
UC Room 2048  
Monday or  
Wednesday  
10:00-4:00**





**JOIN OUR VIRTUAL EVENT!  
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 10TH: 10:30 AM – 12 PM**

**UNC COSI STUDENTS:  
PLEASE ATTEND THE COSI DAY AT THE CAPITOL!  
THIS IS YOUR CHANCE TO TALK TO STATE LAWMAKERS  
LET THEM KNOW HOW THE COSI SCHOLARSHIP  
HAS HELPED YOU FINANCIALLY!**

**JESSE RAMIREZ OF INSPIRE WILL PROVIDE TRAINING FOR STUDENTS  
ON LEVERAGING THEIR VOICE AND UNIQUE STORY  
TO ADVOCATE FOR TOPICS OF IMPORTANCE REGARDING COSI AND BEYOND**

**PAST PARTICIPANTS SAID THAT THE TRAINING TAUGHT THEM  
HOW THEY CAN IMPACT GOVERNMENT  
UNDERSTAND MORE ABOUT HOW STATE GOVERNMENT WORKS  
GAINED NETWORKING AND PUBLIC SPEAKING SKILLS**

**REGISTER HERE:**

**[HTTPS://DOCS.GOOGLE.COM/FORMS/D/E/1FAIPQLSDZGYYWJPXTLH4G7RLAA7-OSOYSSQ7BQSJEIDXA-QY4PHZ\\_FW/VIEWFORM](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIPQLSDZGYYWJPXTLH4G7RLAA7-OSOYSSQ7BQSJEIDXA-QY4PHZ_FW/VIEWFORM)**

# UNC MARCUS GARVEY CULTURAL CENTER



THE MARCUS GARVEY CULTURAL CENTER (MGCC) STAFF STRIVES TO CREATE A SAFE, INCLUSIVE COMMUNITY FOR ALL STUDENTS, STAFF, AND FACULTY AT THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN COLORADO (UNC). AS A CENTER FOCUSED ON ADVOCACY, THE MGCC STAFF SEEK TO CREATE A SPACE WHERE STUDENTS OF COLOR AND HISTORICALLY MARGINALIZED GROUPS FEEL CONNECTED TO UNC AND EMPOWERED THROUGHOUT THEIR COLLEGIATE EXPERIENCE.

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## FEBRUARY IS BLACK HISTORY MONTH



### SHIRLEY CHISHOLM (1924 - 2005)

CONGRESS IS MORE DIVERSE NOW THAN IT'S EVER BEEN. HOWEVER, WHEN CHISHOLM WAS ATTEMPTING TO SHATTER THE GLASS CEILING, THE SAME COULDN'T BE SAID. DURING THE RACIALLY CONTENTIOUS PERIOD IN THE LATE '60S, SHE BECAME THE FIRST BLACK WOMAN ELECTED TO CONGRESS. SHE REPRESENTED NEW YORK'S 12TH DISTRICT FROM 1969 TO 1983, AND IN 1972, SHE BECAME THE FIRST WOMAN TO RUN FOR THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY'S PRESIDENTIAL NOMINATION. HER CAMPAIGN SLOGAN: "UNBOUGHT AND UNBOSSSED" RINGS EVEN LOUDER TODAY.



BESSIE COLEMAN (1892 -1926) DESPITE BEING THE FIRST LICENSED BLACK PILOT IN THE WORLD, COLEMAN WASN'T RECOGNIZED AS A PIONEER IN AVIATION UNTIL AFTER HER DEATH. THOUGH HISTORY HAS FAVORED AMELIA EARHART OR THE WRIGHT BROTHERS, COLEMAN—WHO WENT TO FLIGHT SCHOOL IN FRANCE IN 1919—PAVED THE WAY FOR A NEW GENERATION OF DIVERSE FLIERS LIKE THE TUSKEGEE AIRMEN, BLACKBIRDS, AND FLYING HOBOS.



# **HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY SPREAD LOVE!**



**GIVE 5 COMPLIMENTS A DAY**



**SEND FUN TEXTS TO YOUR LOVED ONES**



**DO ONE LITTLE ACT OF KINDNESS EVERY DAY**



**SPREAD POSITIVE GOSSIP**

**TRY TO BE LESS JUDGEMENTAL**

**BE KIND TO THE PEOPLE YOU DISLIKE**

**HELP A FRIEND OUT**

**PAY IT FORWARD IF YOU ARE ABLE**



# BEAR PANTRY GRAB & GO BAGS

## GRAB-AND-GO BAGS

EFFECTIVE JANUARY 19TH, STUDENTS CAN REQUEST A GRAB-AND-GO BAG OF BEAR PANTRY ITEMS THAT CAN BE PICKED UP ON TUESDAYS OR WEDNESDAYS BETWEEN 11 AM AND 1 PM AT THE STUDENT AFFAIRS DESK ON THE SECOND FLOOR OF THE UNIVERSITY CENTER. STUDENTS ARE ABLE TO SIGN UP FOR ONE APPOINTMENT PER WEEK TO RECEIVE A BAG CONTAINING APPROXIMATELY 10 FOOD AND/OR HYGIENE ITEMS.

TO REQUEST A GRAB-AND-GO BAG FROM THE BEAR PANTRY AND SCHEDULE YOUR PICK UP APPOINTMENT, PLEASE COMPLETE THE MICROSOFT BOOKINGS FORM IN ADVANCE. WHEN COMPLETING THIS FORM, YOU WILL NEED TO SELECT WHETHER YOU ARE A NEW USER OR A RETURNING USER. (NEW USERS ARE STUDENTS WHO HAVE NOT USED THE BEAR PANTRY SINCE AUGUST 17, 2020. RETURNING USERS ARE THOSE THAT HAVE USED THE BEAR PANTRY SINCE AUGUST 17, 2020 AND HAVE ALREADY COMPLETED THE YEARLY QUESTIONNAIRE. THE APPOINTMENT TIMES VARY IN LENGTH IN ORDER TO ALLOW TIME FOR STUDENTS TO COMPLETE THE ONLINE SURVEY AFTER RECEIVING THEIR ITEMS.)

PLEASE HAVE YOUR BEAR NUMBER WITH YOU WHEN YOU ARRIVE TO PICK UP YOUR ITEMS. UPON ARRIVAL AT THE STUDENT AFFAIRS DESK, CHECK IN WITH DESK STAFF (IF AVAILABLE) OR CALL BEAR PANTRY AT 970-351-3667 FOR ASSISTANCE.

BEAR PANTRY WEBSITE FOR MORE INFO:  
[HTTPS://WWW.UNCO.EDU/BEAR-PANTRY/](https://www.unco.edu/bear-pantry/)



## SOCIAL MEDIA

DO YOU WANT TO BE  
FEATURED ON OUR COSI  
INSTAGRAM?  
PLEASE EMAIL MARILYNN  
AND LET HER KNOW!  
WE WOULD LOVE  
TO HEAR ALL ABOUT OUR  
STUDENTS AND WHAT YOU  
ALL ARE UP TO!







## **EATING ON CAMPUS BEAR SHARE PROGRAM**

**STUDENTS WITH MEAL PLANS ARE ABLE TO DONATE UP TO 5 BONUS MEALS PER SEMESTER TO THE BEAR SHARE MEAL SWIPE PROGRAM.**

**STUDENTS EXPERIENCING FOOD INSECURITY CAN REQUEST THAT A BEAR SHARE MEAL SWIPE BE LOADED TO THEIR STUDENT ID. STUDENTS CAN REDEEM BEAR SHARE SWIPES FROM UNC DINING HALLS ON CAMPUS DURING HOURS OF OPERATION. YOU MUST HAVE YOUR STUDENT ID WITH YOU TO REDEEM BEAR SHARE MEALS.**

**TO REQUEST A BEAR SHARE MEAL SWIPE, STUDENTS ARE ASKED TO SUBMIT THE BEAR SHARE MEAL SWIPE ONLINE REQUEST FORM.**

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**Don't ever go hungry!**

**Reach out to Nickie and she can feed you  
and connect you to food resources and  
help you get some Bear Share swipes!**