

Gull Family News



Now that we have dug out after the biggest snowstorm to hit the area since 2022, the spring semester is off and running! As usual, there are lots of things happening on campus. February is a great time for students to get out of their rooms and participate in events. Trying something new and meeting new people can have great benefits during this long stretch of winter.

Go Gulls! and Go Pats!!!!

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Halle Library

Charlotte the Therapy Dog: Thursday, February 12, 6 p.m.
Just in time for Valentine's, Charlotte visits Halle Library to spread a little love!

Tiny Desk Concert: Friday, February 27, 6-8 p.m.
Music performed by Endicott students, for Endicott students!

Internship & Career Center

Internship, Co-op & Career Fair – February 24, 2026

This event gives students the opportunity to explore career options, practice networking skills, and make valuable professional connections.

To help students feel confident and prepared, the Internship & Career Center is offering the following opportunities leading up to the Career Fair:

- **Feb. 10:** *Think Like a Recruiter* – An employer panel including HubSpot, CM&B, and Peabody Essex Museum will be discussing the impact of AI on recruitment and career success
- **Feb. 11:** *Career Fair Pop-Up & Endicott Thrift Store* – Access professional attire and receive career fair preparation tips from career coaches
- **Feb. 17:** *Career Fair Pop-Up* – Resume support, pitch practice, employer research, and navigating the fair
- **Feb. 23:** *Career Fair Pop-Up* – Last-minute career fair preparation

Attending the Internship, Co-op, and Career Fair is a valuable opportunity for students to explore career paths, connect with employers, and take the next step toward their career goals.

Tutoring & Writing Center

We are happy to announce that the Tutoring & Writing Center is now open for individual and group sessions. We have over 100 tutors this semester—all highly educated, highly trained, and deeply committed to helping you learn and succeed.

Content tutoring can help with mastering course material and exam preparation, while writing tutoring can assist you with any part of the writing process and help you produce your best work. Drop-in tutoring and group tutoring are offered for specific areas, and the supplemental instruction (SI) program is offered for a select few, historically challenging courses. All of these opportunities are completely free and excellent strategies to use and incorporate into your regular schedule.

Students can book tutoring sessions via our online software, TracCloud. TracCloud can be accessed by logging into the Okta dashboard and clicking the TracCloud tile. Using the link—traccloud.endicott.edu—will work too. The Tutoring & Writing Center is located in the Halle Library in Room 204.

Hours of Operation:

- Sundays: 5-9 p.m.
- Mondays-Thursdays: 10 a.m.-9 p.m.
- Fridays: 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

Recommendations:

- At the start of the semester, learn to use TracCloud and find out what tutors are available for each course
- For the greatest benefit to learning and achievement, attend three or more sessions before each major exam or paper, especially spaced out over a week or more. Weekly sessions can be scheduled to help with this
- Bring a friend or two to a session! Effective collaboration is a boon for learning, and we see all the time how much this helps
- 60-minute sessions can be booked if available. While the system defaults to 30-minute sessions, 60-minute sessions may be more productive
- Try to schedule appointments at least two days in advance, longer in advance if during midterms and finals

We look forward to assisting your students with their learning and success this semester. If your student is interested in meeting with someone to discuss how to make the best use of the Tutoring & Writing Center, or if they just want to learn more, please don't hesitate to have them start the conversation by emailing me at bhorgan@endicott.edu.

Senior Portraits

Senior Portraits for Fall 2025 & Spring 2026 Graduates will take place during the week of February 9. There is no charge to be photographed!

- Sitting will include poses in business attire and in a cap and gown (provided).
 - Photos can be used for Professional Networking and Job Search sites, as well as Graduation announcements and invitations.
 - There is no charge to be photographed!
 - Students will receive a Session ID & Access Code when they sit. They can also use these codes to view their proofs online seven to ten days after the session, at which time they can determine if they would like to purchase photographs.
 - Links to sign up for photos will be coming soon - remind your graduate to check their email!
 - Our Mobile Barber will also be on campus on February 9 to make sure students are camera-ready! A sign-up link for haircuts will appear in the Blue Buzz in mid-January.
 - *Additional photo sessions will be available in April.*
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Center for Academic Coaching

Is your student studying in the Gerrish School of Business, in the School of Science and Technology, or in the School of Education? If so, they have the opportunity to meet a professional academic coach at their school for a brief drop-in meeting at no charge. These brief meetings are ideal to break down a project into manageable steps, learn a new study strategy, or determine priorities. For more information, contact academiccoaching@endicott.edu.

Community Service

Happy February from the Community Service Office! Our office is back in action and has some great projects for this month.

On Wednesday, February 4, students are encouraged to pre-register or stop by the Lower Callahan Center to donate blood with the American Red Cross from noon to 5 p.m. February is the month for new initiatives in our office! Our first new initiative is Love On The Brain, where Endicott Community members can purchase sweet treats for their loved ones while also donating towards mental health resources.

In honor of Random Acts of Kindness Day, our second initiative is Coffee With A Cause, where students are encouraged to do good for a local non-profit and receive a free coffee on us! Our office is still preparing for our big annual campus events, the Frozen Flop and Duck Toss, held later in the semester, so keep an eye out on our Instagram @ecommsservice for updates! Students can sign up for special and weekly service projects in the monthly Community Service Chatter (located in their Endicott email), the weekly Blue Buzz (located in their Endicott email), or by stopping by the

[Subscribe](#) to our email list.

Community Service/clubs orgs: Send your student a Carnation for Valentine's Day to brighten their day! Sales end on February 9, with pickup on February 12. Order [here](#).

Student Affairs

Club Bingo Wednesday, February 25, at 7 p.m. in Cleary Auditorium

Looking to get involved? Come learn more about some of the clubs on campus while playing BINGO to win prizes picked out by the clubs.

GullCentral is here! Our new engagement platform is live, and we are so excited to connect our community. Students can visit gullcentral.endicott.edu to join clubs and learn about campus events.

Accessibility Office

Current Endicott students who are interested in applying for disability/medical housing accommodations for the 2026-2027 academic year need to complete the application process by **Monday, March 2, 2026**. To learn how to apply, please visit our [website](#). If you have any questions, please reach out to access@endicott.edu.

Bursar's Office

1098-T Tax Forms Available

The 1098-T tax forms are now available online through our partner, ECSI. To access your form, visit heartland.ecsi.net and select Students and Borrowers. Choose Sign In if you already have an account, or Register if you are a first-time user. Once logged in, select Learn More About Your 1098 Tax Documents and complete the required information. If you have any questions, please contact the Bursar's Office at bursar@endicott.edu.

Monitor Your Student Account

Students are encouraged to regularly review their student accounts by checking the Finances tab. Notifications for past-due balances are sent through Workday. If you receive a past-due notice or have questions regarding your account, please contact our office at 978.232.2035 or bursar@endicott.edu.

Sign Up for Direct Deposit Refunds

Expecting a refund? Sign up for direct deposit to receive your funds quickly and securely. Log in to your Workday account and select Make a Payment to be directed to Nelnet. From there, choose Manage My Refunds and enter your bank information. This will help avoid delays associated with mailed checks.

Student Employment

To comply with Federal regulations, the Student Employment Office must verify the identity and employment authorization of students hired for employment at Endicott. If your student is planning on working during the spring semester, and they have never worked on campus before, they will need to bring to the Student Employment Office ORIGINAL IDs that show their identity and authorization to work in the United States. An example of an ID is their passport. If they do not have a passport, a combination of their School ID AND their Social Security Card, or their School ID AND their Birth Certificate will do. Please click [here](#) for a list of all acceptable IDs. If you have any questions, please email studentemployment@endicott.edu.

Each summer, Endicott offers the opportunity for students to live and work on campus. Many departments, including Facilities Management, Misselwood Events, the Office of Admission, and the Post Center, hire students from May to August.

If interested, students can attend the **Student Summer Employment Job Fair** at the Callahan Center on March 12 from 11 a.m.-2 p.m.

Office of Sustainability

Love is in the air this February, and we're confessing our feelings for the Freecycle Thrift Store! If your Gull's childhood bedroom closet is collecting dust, send them back to the Nest with gently used clothing donations. Donation boxes can be found in the largest residence halls, including Standish, Venuti, Marblehead, Stoneridge, Bayview, Endicott, Brindle, and Frates. We're looking for gently used women's and men's clothing of all styles and sizes to stock the Thrift Store on Wednesday, February 11th, from 3-5 p.m.

The Freecycle Thrift Store is just one of the many [Campus Race to Zero Waste](#) events for your Gull to add to their calendar. Starting today, Endicott College will enter this eight-week friendly competition for colleges and universities to promote waste reduction across campuses. Stay tuned for our signature events that highlight reducing, reusing, and recycling, such as:

- **Show the Waste:** Wed., February 4, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. in the Callahan dining hall
 - **Freecycle Thrift Store:** Wed., February 11, 3-5 p.m. in Lower Callahan
 - **Reusable Business Card Printing:** Fri., February 20, 11 a.m.-noon in the Makerspace
 - **Food Scrap Recipe Sampling:** Thurs., February 26, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. in the Callahan dining hall
 - **Zero Waste Trivia:** Tues., March 3, 8-9 p.m. in Gully's
 - **Trail Clean Up:** Mon., March 9, 4-5 p.m. outside of the Bookstore
 - **Sustainability Networking & Career Fair:** Tues., March 24, 2-4 p.m. in the Judge Science Center lobby
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Center for Belonging

February is a busy month at the Center for Belonging. We are especially highlighting three special programs. First, in commemoration of Black History Month, we will have a **Gospel Worship Service** on Monday evening, February 9, at 7 p.m. with Father Andre Bennett. Next, to honor the Winter Olympics, we will have a visit with **former Olympic Speed Skater Nancy Swider-Peltz**, who will share her faith journey. Then, on Wednesday, February 25, **Oscar Wyett Moore**, a double gull alumnus, former Endicott football team captain, and now a poet, will come and lead our Dine and Dialogue program with his One Beautiful Question program. Invite your gulls to check out the activities at the Center for Belonging.

Student Transitions & Family Programs

Student Transitions & Family Programs is off to a great start for the Spring semester!

Summer Orientation: This past Friday, we interviewed over 90 students for the role of Orientation Leader. We are excited to build a diverse team to represent the Endicott College community.

Dinner with 7 Strangers: Dinner with 7 Strangers is as simple as it sounds! Students can sign up

want to participate can sign up [here](#). Our dinner this semester will be on Thursday, February 26, at 5 p.m. in the Center for Belonging.

First-Year Honor Society Invitations: Emails have been sent to over 280 first-year students who are eligible for the Alpha Lambda Delta Honor Society. All first-year (full-time) students who received a 3.75 GPA in the Fall semester were invited to join [Alpha Lambda Delta](#), the honor society for first-year academic success. Please let your students know to keep an eye out for this invitation. ALD is a legitimate, nationally recognized honor society. Our chapter was founded last year, and our first 110 members were inducted in March. **Invited students need to join by March 13th to participate in the induction ceremony.** This honor society offers opportunities for scholarships, leadership, and participation in community service projects. Please reach out if you would like any information about this honor society. For more information, please email dchapman@endicott.edu.

Academic Calendar: Please click [here](#) to access the Academic Calendar.

Visual & Performing Arts

February will be full of art, music, theater, and dance in the Walter J. Manninen Center for the Arts. Three exhibits celebrate the process of art-making. In the *Carol Grillo Gallery*, see **Helen Wells, Sketchbooks with Soul: Process, Play & Practice** on display from Tuesday, January 20, to Friday, April 17, featuring the joyful and expressive work of UK-based artist Helen Wells. Helen's beloved sketchbooks—followed by thousands online—lie at the heart of her creative process, serving as spaces for exploration, experimentation, and pure artistic play. This exhibition brings those sketchbooks to life, offering an intimate look at the organic process behind her art. Helen's work reminds us of the beauty of curiosity, the freedom to make mistakes, and the magic that happens when we permit ourselves to play.

In our *Heftler Gallery*, you can see **Through The Eye of a Needle, Jim Wright Journals** on display from Friday, January 30—Monday, April 13. Known for capturing some of the biggest names in music, film, and fashion—from Beyoncé to Bruce Willis—Jim Wright's true passion lies in photographing the quiet beauty of American life. Through his journals and photographs, the exhibition unfolds as a visual meditation on memory, emotion, and reflection. His work captures familiar places and fleeting moments, transforming them into timeless stories that feel both nostalgic and new.

And on the second floor in the DesNoyers Gallery, see **Student Sketchbooks: A Peek Inside the Creative Mind**. Take a peek inside the world of our students' sketchbooks. This exhibition showcases work from Studio Art and Music students, offering a glimpse into the creative process across disciplines. Explore how ideas take shape through drawings, notes, lyrics, and sound—revealing the inspirations, emotions, and experiments that bring student creativity to life. Speaking of celebrating the process, the 12-hour art-making festival **Artsmash** is back. Multi-disciplinary teams of students will be given a theme to create with, and in just 12 hours, they will make and present works influenced by the visual and performing artists in each group. The culminating presentation will be held at 8 pm on February 20 in the Rose Theater. Tickets are \$10 general admission and free for Gull Card students. Tickets can be purchased at tickets.endicott.edu

Athletics

There are lots of opportunities to see your Gulls in action during the spring semester. Please check out our spring sports team schedules at ecgulls.com

Mail Center

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Valentine's Day falls on a Saturday this year, and the campus mail room will be closed over the weekend and on Monday, February 16, in observance of Presidents' Day. In addition, please note that carriers **do not deliver to the college on weekends or holidays**. This means that any packages delivered on or after Saturday will not be available for pickup until **Tuesday, February 17**, when the mail room reopens.

If you're planning to send your student a Valentine's package, we recommend scheduling delivery **prior to Friday, February 13**, or **after Monday, February 16**, so it arrives when they can receive it promptly—and you may even save on those Valentine's Day delivery surcharges!

Thank you for helping us ensure your student gets their special surprise on time.

Commencement Corner

Commencement is Saturday, May 16, 2026.

If your graduating student is unsure if they have completed their Graduation Application, please have them check their activity in Etrieve.

Purchase flowers for your graduating student and support the Mortar Board honor society on campus. Bouquets are \$40 with pickup on campus outside of Gully's on commencement morning. Order [here](#).



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