

Gull Family News



March is here, and we are all looking forward to some longer evenings with later sunsets, but it's hard to think about Spring plans when there is still a few feet of snow in our yards. Like our students, we as caregivers and family members need to roll up our sleeves and get through this busy month.

Don't be surprised if your student is especially tired or already talking about sleeping through all of Spring Break, March 16–20. This is a daunting stretch of the semester, and thoughts of an impending week off are battling with thoughts of midterms and finalizing Summer internships.

Congratulations to the Men's Basketball team that took the [CNE Championship](#) on March 1 and will represent Endicott in the NCAA Division 3 tournament. Endicott plays Neumann University in the first round on [March 6 at 6:30 p.m.](#)

Go Gulls!

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Student Affairs

GullCentral is here! Our new engagement platform is live, and we are so excited to get our community connected. Students can visit gullcentral.endicott.edu to join clubs and learn about all of the events happening on campus.

[Subscribe](#) to our email list.

Study Abroad

Applications to study and intern abroad this fall are open through March 13!

If your Gull is considering a semester abroad, encourage them to make an [appointment](#) with the Global Education Office to learn more about the amazing opportunities that await them.

Residence Life

The Office of Residence Life has an exciting lineup of programs for students this semester! In mid-February, we hosted Wanna Flock: Let's Talk About Safe Sex, an engaging and informative program where students had the chance to discuss healthy relationships in a fun setting. In March, the department will host a Housing Selection Scavenger Hunt, providing students with all the essential information they need to navigate the housing selection process. These programs foster community, promote well-being, and support students in making good decisions!

Housing Selection Eligibility Requirements:

- Registered as a full-time student for the 2026-27 Academic Year
- Cleared by the Bursar's Office (No Holds)
- Completed the 2026-27 Housing Application
- Currently living in Endicott-provided housing or are a current study abroad/temporary commuter student
- Completed the Fall Housing Intent and selected "Living on Campus"

Selection Dates:

- Rising Senior (60+ Credits) Housing Selection - Thursday, April 9, 2026
- Rising Junior (36-59 Credits) Housing Selection - Tuesday, April 15, 2026
- Rising Sophomore (0-35 Credits) Housing Selection - Thursday, April 16, 2026

*Completed credits as of the most recent Winter session

Halle Library

Meet Betsy Ellor: Four-Time Author with a 4-4 GoodReads Rating

What happens when the villain gets to tell her side of the story? In *Hera: Kingdom of Lies*, Betsy Ellor tells the origin story of the Greek gods through the voice of one of mythology's most complex and misunderstood figures. In addition to being the Facilities Designer for Endicott, Betsy has four published books through both traditional and independent publishing. She will talk candidly about the realities of publishing today and answer your questions about writing, editing, querying, and getting your work into the world.

Date: [Thursday, March 5](#)

Time: 5 p.m.

Location: Halle Library

Mail Center

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Our hours of operation are Monday – Friday, 9:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

We are Closed weekends and Holiday

Emails are only answered during our open times.

PACKAGE PICK-UP POLICY

You are ONLY allowed to pick up your own packages

Do NOT bring or use another student's ID

Do NOT attempt to collect packages for other students

Failure to follow this policy may result in disciplinary action

LOCKER INFORMATION

The after-hour lockers are for Internship Students.

We have a list of all students on Internship/Clinical and Practicum for this semester

Your name must be on one of these lists in order to have a package moved to a locker.

Locker Move Requests Are Accepted By Email Only

All locker move requests must be received by 4:00 p.m. Monday – Friday

MISSING PACKAGE INFORMATION

If you are looking for a package that states it has been delivered, but you have not received an email from the mail center, please send the mail center an email with the Tracking number for the package in question, your full name, and ID number.

Thank you for contacting the Endicott Mail Center

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

Center for Belonging

March is Women's History Month! As we enter this month, I want to pause and honor the incredible contributions and achievements of women throughout history and right here in our own community. This is a time to recognize the resilience, strength, leadership, and courage of women, and to recommit ourselves to advancing equity and opportunity for all.

Women's History Month began as a local celebration in 1978 in Sonoma County, California. In 1980, President Jimmy Carter proclaimed the week of March 8 as National Women's History Week, and by 1987, Congress officially declared March as Women's History Month — a recognition that continues today.

While we celebrate progress, we also acknowledge that the work is ongoing. This month invites us to reflect on the trailblazers who paved the way, uplift the voices of women who continue to lead and challenge systems, and inspire future generations to imagine what is possible.

On our campus, we are fortunate to be surrounded by extraordinary women — students, faculty, and staff — who lead with brilliance, compassion, and strength. I invite you and your student to [share a message](#) of gratitude or recognize a woman on campus who has influenced or inspired you.

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The [messages shared](#) will be displayed on Wednesday, March 25, in the Center for Belonging from **11 a.m.—2 p.m.** During this event, we will also host a **leadership panel discussion from noon—12:45 p.m.**, featuring:

- **Jodi Kenyon**, Associate Athletic Director
- **Sarah Sweeney**, Assistant Vice President, Communications & Marketing
- **Kerry Ramsdell**, Police Chief and Director of Public Safety
- **Brandi Johnson**, Vice President and Chief Diversity Officer

The panel will be moderated by **Alyssa Cashman**, Sr. Associate Director of Residence Life.

As we celebrate Women's History Month, I am reminded of the words of [Toni Morrison](#):

"If you have some power, then your job is to empower somebody else."

May we each continue to use our voices, our leadership, and our influence to uplift one another and build a community where everyone feels seen, valued, and empowered to thrive.

With Hope and Gratitude,

[Brandi Johnson](#)

Vice President and Chief Diversity Officer

Pronouns: [She/Her/Hers](#)

Visual & Performing Arts

This spring, students and families are warmly invited to experience a vibrant lineup of performances and exhibitions at the Endicott College Center for the Arts.

The season begins with a moving student production of *Our Town*, presented by the student-led Spotlight Drama Club on March 6 and 7 in Tia's Black Box Theater. Written by Thornton Wilder, this timeless three-act play follows the residents of Grover's Corners, New Hampshire, as it explores the profound beauty found in everyday life. Through its minimalist staging and focus on bold, vulnerable performances, *Our Town* invites audiences to reflect on family, relationships, and the importance of being present in each fleeting moment. Performances take place on Friday at 7:30 p.m. and Saturday at 2:00 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Endicott ID holders attend free, and we encourage families to join us for this thoughtful and transcendent theatrical experience.

In early April, our talented students take the stage for the Mainstage faculty-directed musical production of *Sweeney Todd: The Demon Barber of Fleet Street*. Performances will be held April 8–12 in the Rose Theater, with evening shows at 7:30 p.m. and matinee performances on Saturday and Sunday. This darkly witty, Tony Award-winning musical thriller—featuring music and lyrics by Stephen Sondheim and a book by Hugh Wheeler—brings 19th-century London to life in a gripping tale of love, loss, and revenge. With sweeping music, powerful performances, and richly imaginative staging, this production promises to be a highlight of the semester. Gull Card students attend free, and friends and families are encouraged to join us in supporting our performers and production team.

Throughout the spring, families can also explore two compelling exhibitions before they close in mid-April. *Sketchbooks with Soul: Process, Play & Practice*, on view in the Carol Grillo Gallery through April 17, features the joyful and expressive work of UK-based artist Helen Wells. The exhibition offers an intimate look at her beloved sketchbooks—spaces of experimentation, curiosity, and artistic play that have inspired thousands of followers online. Visitors will gain insight into the creative process and the beauty of exploration without limits.

In the Heftler Gallery, *Through the Eye of a Needle: Jim Wright Journals* remains on view

photographs, the exhibition unfolds as a meditation on memory and reflection, capturing fleeting moments and familiar landscapes in ways that feel both nostalgic and newly discovered.

Internship & Career Center

Unfortunately, Mother Nature had other plans for our scheduled Internship, Co-op & Career Fair on Feb. 24. While the snow forced the cancellation of the fair, it doesn't have to stall your students' internship and job searches! The employers who were planning to visit are still very much interested in connecting with our students, and here is the advice we shared with students to keep the momentum going:

1. Research the Attendee List

Log in to the Gulls@Work to view the full list of [organizations](#) that were registered. Identify your top 5–10 "must-talk-to" companies. **Tip:** *For each of the organizations that were registered to attend, you can see any jobs or internships they currently have posted, see company contacts if they have made that information available, and link to the company website. (We also shared contact names at each organization).*

2. Connect via LinkedIn

Personalize your connection requests! Don't just hit "Connect." Use a brief message like this:

- "Hi [Recruiter Name], I was looking forward to meeting you at the Endicott College Internship, Co-op & Career Fair. Since the event was canceled due to the snow, I wanted to reach out here to express my interest in the [Job/Internship Title] role. I'd like to stay connected!"

3. Send a Professional Email

If you have a specific contact email, send a formal follow-up. Keep it concise and attach your resume.

- **Subject:** Following up: Endicott College Internship, Co-op & Career Fair - [Your Name]
- **Body:** Mention that you were disappointed to miss them due to the weather, highlight one specific reason you're interested in their organization, and ask about the best way to submit your application or schedule a brief virtual chat.

Quick Tips for Success

- **Don't wait:** Reach out within the next 24–48 hours while the event is still on the recruiters' calendars.
- **Refine your resume:** Since you aren't handing over a physical copy, ensure your PDF is polished and named clearly (e.g., FirstName_LastName_Resume.pdf).

Lastly, we encourage students to use their resources on campus, including the career advisors in the Internship & Career Center and their internship faculty.

March Events:

- **SkillShop: Interviewing:** March 10, 4 p.m. in the Center for Belonging
- **Sustainability Fair:** March 24, 2-4 p.m., Ginger Judge Atrium—network with employers for sustainability-related internships and jobs
- **AI's Impact on Careers Panel:** March 25, 4-5 p.m., Klebanoff Auditorium—hear from industry experts on how artificial intelligence is impacting the job landscape, including strategies for staying ahead of the curve.

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.

The Tutoring & Writing Center is also an excellent resource and strategy for graduate and doctoral students, in addition to undergraduate students.

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!

- 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 March from the Community Service Office! Our office is excited to share a few of our service opportunities this month. This month, we are starting back up our Intergenerational Walk & Talks with our friends at Beverly Council of Aging. This opportunity allows students to enjoy friendly conversation and light exercise while enjoying the beautiful grounds of Endicott. We have a variety of volunteering opportunities each week where students can volunteer at Lifebridge Thrift Store, work with Habitat for Humanity, or enjoy a night with the Northeast ARC. Even as Spring Break approaches, our Gulls never stop giving back! 26 Endicott students and 3 staff members will be spending their spring break volunteering with Habitat for Humanity and ServeUp. Follow our Instagram (@ecommsservice) to keep up with their trips. We close out March with our annual Frozen Flop 4 Charity! Since 2020, hundreds of brave Gulls have jumped into the ocean on a Sunday afternoon to raise money for four different charities! Get ready to watch our Gulls Brave the wave. Service projects for our Endicott Community 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 Community Service Office in Lower Callahan!

Commencement Corner

Endicott's 86th Commencement Ceremony is on 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.

For questions related to Commencement, please review our information at <https://www.endicott.edu/news-events/commencement> or email commencement@endicott.edu

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](#).**

Student Employment

Is your student looking for work over the summer? **Misselwood Events is looking to hire students to work from April 6 to October 14, 2026.** Pay is \$18.50/hour and qualifies for on-campus housing for the summer. Job descriptions vary depending on the role. Please reach out to the Student Employment Office for more information at studentemployment@endicott.edu.

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

We're officially more than halfway through the annual Campus Race to Zero Waste! Throughout the last few weeks, the Office of Sustainability has hosted a wide variety of events to engage the community in reducing trash and increasing the use of reducing, reusing, and recycling on campus. The most successful event was our fifth Freecycle Thrift Store, where the Endicott community shopped for donated items collected from our Mini College Cleanse in December. We diverted hundreds of pounds of clothing, decor, and household goods from the landfill while raising money for Beverly Bootstraps. Up next, we'll be hosting our annual [Sustainability Career Fair](#) on Tuesday, March 24th, from 2 – 4 p.m. in the Judge Science Center. If your Gull was sad to miss out on the College-wide Internship, Co-op, & Career Fair in February, the Sustainability Career Fair will provide another opportunity to network with employers on campus. All majors and class years are encouraged to attend!



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