Hello to all Winter 2020 Off-Campus Associates!

I hope this memo finds you well and anticipating the upcoming term at Grebel!

The following information is important...make sure you read it!

**GREBEL OPENS**

Grebel will open on Sunday, January 5, 2020 at 2:00 pm. If you have requested keys or a parking pass you will need to go to the residence foyer to get them anytime after 2pm on Jan 5 (or at Student Services during business hours M-F).

**FEES**

Winter 2020 fees are due December 6, 2019. When paying your fees, you can pay by cash, cheque, or online banking. In all of these cases, we have no way of retrieving which optional fees you have paid unless you fill in the [Optional Services form](#). This can be found on the Conrad Grebel website under [Current Students](#) then under online forms. Fill in this form if you wish to add car permit, athletic fee, bike key, hockey storage key, yearbook (only once per year) to your invoiced amount. We do not issue a receipt, so if you are concerned about your payment, check your bank records to see that the payment was made.

**FROST WEEK**

Evening activities are planned from January 5-12. These are planned to give you the opportunity to become acquainted with Grebel’s newest members and re-acquainted with Grebelites you haven’t seen in a while. Look on [Starting a new term](#) for the Frost week schedule – it will be posted soon.

**CHAPEL AND COMMUNITY SUPPER**

Each Wednesday of the term beginning on January 8 at 4:30 and 5:30 respectively you are invited to Chapel and Community Supper.

**REZ AND APT STAFF**

The Winter 2020 Apartment Superintendent is Anna Kuepfer. Aaron Oesch, Allison Weber, Lorena Diller Harder, Max Chute and Emily Moore are the Winter dons Faith and Colin Friesen are the Campus Hosts and their daughter Ronen is the campus baby.

**STUDENT CHAPEL LEADERS**

Alana Hawton, Andre Wiederkehr, Anna Kuepfer, Ben Klassen, Erik Mohr, Marisa Duncan, Nathaniel Kim, Rebekah Lindsay, Katrina Steckle, Theo Wiederkehr, and Yeabsra Agonfer will be your Chapel leaders for Winter 2020. If you are interested in joining this group please email [Ed Janzen](mailto:).
Mykayla Turner is Student Council president for 2019/2020. Your Student Council is excited to welcome you back to Grebel after your break! They are looking for a number of you to fill leadership positions on both our Executive Council and Larger Leadership Team for the Winter Term.

Elections for the Secretary, Co-op Rep (TBD), Treasurer (TBD), and Social Convener will be held on January 15. These are Student Council Executive positions.

Appointments for 2 special projects rep, 2 athletics reps, 2 webmasters, 1 QuAQ rep, 1 Peace Rep, 1 Food rep, 2 Grebelspeaks Editors, 1 Environment rep and 2 Gents reps will be made this term. The deadline to submit an application for any of these positions is November 20. Submissions can be made on Grebelife or given/sent directly to Mykayla Turner.

Don applications are due shortly after you move in (January 12), so you might already want to begin thinking about your interest in this position. A copy of the job description can be found at https://uwaterloo.ca/grebel/current-students/general-information/dons-campus-hosts/job-description

To apply, prepare a letter (no longer than one page) that speaks to the following questions:
1. Why are you interested in becoming a Don?
2. What experiences do you have that are relevant to the role?
3. What strengths do you bring to the position?
4. What will be challenging for you, if you serve in this role?
Also, one reference is required. See the website for details.

Resident and associate scholarship and award applications will be due January 12. If you’d like to get a jump start on your application over the Christmas break, check out the scholarship and award information at https://uwaterloo.ca/grebel/financial-aid-and-awards/upper-year-awards

View the faces of the Grebel community on grebelife.

I wish you a fun and relaxing Christmas holiday.

Mary Brubaker-Zehr
Director of Student Services
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Happy holidays from the Student Services team!