From the Student Success Center

**GRE Study Groups**

Planning to take the GRE? Don’t know what to expect? Not sure how to study? Sign up for a GRE study group this semester! Led by Kelsey Torgerson and Denise Greene, these study sessions will teach you what to expect from the test, how to find and use GRE resources, and ways to keep yourself accountable. We’ll cover techniques and strategies to conquer all three sections - quantitative reasoning, verbal reasoning, and analytical writing. We will meet for an hour every other week, and we hope to begin at the beginning of February. If interested, please fill out this interest form by Friday, January 31st. If you have any questions, please contact Kelsey Torgerson!

**Tutoring**

Now is a great time to sign-up for a tutor! Tutoring will start this week and next. You can request a tutor using this link. If you have any questions, please contact Josh Parrill or email umctutor@crk.umn.edu. Evening study groups will begin next week. More information to come next week!

**Writing Center**

Feeling unsure about your next writing project? The Writing Center is available to all students, faculty, and staff who want to discuss their writing. We provide constructive feedback to writers at all stages of the writing process. Our services are free. Note our new
From Student Affairs & Campus Ministry

Food Pantry Available on Campus

If you cannot afford to buy nutritious food--this free pantry is for you. During Semester break, Student Affairs in partnership with Cooperative Campus Ministry, established a Food Pantry on campus. The Pantry is located in the Owen 170 Entrance and is open Monday-Friday from 8 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. In addition to non-perishable food items there are also a limited number of cold items, personal care items, and winter gear. A formal name is still under development as is a mechanism for how to contribute to the Pantry. The Pantry is operated using donated funds and items so please stay tuned on how you can donate if able. If you would like to become involved or if you have food insecurity needs, please contact Coordinator for Cooperative Ministry Trey Everett at evere102@crk.umn.edu or one of the Eagles 4 Eagles Peer Educators.

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From the Wellness Center

The Wellness Center along with the Sustainability office is having a contest from today until Friday.

There is a water bottle initiative that will be happening and we want to get your input on a slogan to put on a reusable water bottle. The slogan/quote need to be about sustainability.

Look out for a social media post from the Wellness Center today. Individuals can submit an answer on social media or through emailing Kolby Castillo at casti151@crk.umn.edu.
The winner will get a wellness center kit that includes a bag, a shaker bottle, and tupperware.

Access and helping our students be successful once they are here is one of our strong points of pride. Happy Tuesday!

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**Events**

**Women's Basketball vs University of Mary - Beach Night**

University of Minnesota Crookston Women's Basketball vs University of Mary - Beach Night


_pressed_ Friday, January 24 at 5:30pm to 7:30pm

📍 Crookston, Minn.

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**Men's Basketball vs University of Mary - Beach Night**

University of Minnesota Crookston Men's Basketball vs University of Mary - Beach Night


_pressed_ Friday, January 24 at 7:30pm to 9:30pm

📍 Crookston, Minn.

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**Ag Arama - 45 years of Competition and Fun**

Contests in agronomy, animal science, horticulture, agricultural business, and natural resources highlight Ag Arama weekend. They serve as an opportunity for our students to showcase their knowledge and skills and have a chance to interact with alumni and faculty members.

_pressed_ Saturday, January 25

📍 UTOC Arena

[University Teaching & Outreach Center (UTOC), 2900 University Ave. Crookston, MN 56716](https://utable.crookston.mn.us/)

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Snow Sculpting

Come to the University of Minnesota Crookston, Saturday, January 25 at 10am and join Trey Everett and Gary Stegman in sculpting a snow sculpture starting. Students, Faculty, Staff as well as the entire Crookston Community are welcome to assist. Dress appropriately. Sculpting begins at 10am near Kiehle Building.

While the sculpture will take much of the day UMN Crookston will host a reveal party Friday, January 31 from 4pm to 5:30pm. Snacks, coca-cola beverages and free game passes for the Men and Women’s Golden Eagle Basketball games will be available.

The North Dakota Klezmer Ensemble will perform in Kiehle Rotunda on Friday, January 31 to kick off the Reveal Party event. We would like to encourage students, faculty and staff along with Community members to assist in the sculpting.

🕒 Saturday, January 25 at 10:00am
More dates through January 31, 2020

📍 Kiehle - Lot G Parking