

## Residence Life Programming with an **IMPACT**

Name of CA: **2007 March Campus Programming**

Residence Hall/Apt: \_\_\_\_\_ Columbia \_\_\_\_\_ Lycoming \_\_\_\_\_ North \_\_\_\_\_ Luzerne  
 (please check off one) \_\_\_\_\_ Montour \_\_\_\_\_ Schuylkill \_\_\_\_\_ Elwell \_\_\_\_\_ Apartments

Monthly Report for: \_\_\_\_\_ August/September \_\_\_\_\_ October \_\_\_\_\_ November/December  
 (please check off one) \_\_\_\_\_ January \_\_\_\_\_ February \_\_\_\_\_ X March \_\_\_\_\_ April/May

Please describe all the ways that you as a staff member have made an **impact** on the residential community during the month. Include programs, events, bulletin boards, hall decorations, both active and passive that you were involved in:

Date(s)	Event Title & Description <i>Describe briefly what was held or done:</i>	I	M	PA	C	T	Outcomes: <i>Describe what either you or students learned from this event:</i>
3/1/07	<b>More than Just a Transcript:</b> <i>Held in Monty's</i> A student worker from the SOLVE office came up and educated students about the advantages of how having a co-curricular transcript and how one could strengthen the resume of a new college graduate and increase the likelihood of being called in for an interview. Co-curricular transcripts is a formal list of the important events, programs, or even organizations a person has been involved in while in school. It is authenticated by SOLVE office staff. The transcript follows the feel of a resume with a strong personal touch.	X				X	The students who attended were enthusiastic about the idea, and loved the fact that the solve office was willing to guide them through the process of constructing a killer resume package. Interview techniques were covered. Over all, it was a well received program.
3/01/07	<b>Environmental Factors and Obesity:</b> This was a program that was put on by a guest speaker from the University of Penn. She had conducted some interesting studies and shared her finding with us. It was important and relevant to the student to know how to take care of themselves. It was even more important to me as an individual, because she talked specifically about an African American study in poverty stricken Philadelphia and surrounding areas.	X		X		X	Many of my residents benefited from this program, because it opened their eyes as individuals and to care for those around them.
3/1/07	<b>BU "Deal or No Deal"</b> – A game show that allows students to win money by picking a brief case and either making a deal to keep the brief case or sell it to a banker.				X	X	We had a great time. We helped to encourage the student participant to pick a certain brief case. This made an impact by giving students the opportunity to win some extra cash before spring break.

3/1/07	<b>Game Show: How well do you know your roommate-</b> Involved groups of roommates that competed to see who knew each other the best!				X	They learned many things about each other as well as fellow residents and had a fun time doing so!
3/2/07	<b>Mary Kay/Makeover Party:</b> A Mary Kay makeover party was held at the fireside lounge where residents were provided with make up, music, and a good time.	X		X	X	Residents learned about skin care and gave each other makeovers. Free samples were generously given by Mary Kay.
3/02/07	<b>Kehr Union Spring Food Show-</b> Students were allowed to mingle with each other and companies who were trying to promote various exhibits for future service on campus.				X	There is not much a person can learn from the food show except the different companies who are trying to come on Bloomsburg campus and what types of food they plan on serving.
3/3/07	<b>Minority Greek Step Show:</b> This event brought to the student's attention of all minority Greek organizations that are on campus. Several Greek organizations put on a step show.	X	X		X	The step shows showed the history of the organization and how they came about through the performance. It was very entertaining and informative.
3/3/07	<b>Guitar Strings,</b> a small concert of guitar playing nature				X	A few guitar players of excellent skill played upon the stage, playing a good few tunes that was acoustic and folk-ish in approach.
3/3/07	<b>Rock Climbing with Quest-</b> A day trip of various challenging rock climbs sponsored by Quest in the nearby town of Tillberry.				X	Learned that rock climbing is much more challenging on an actual rock then on an indoor wall. Also learned that something that may seem impossible just needs to be approached one step and a time.
3/4/07	<b>Slovakia Slideshow-</b> One of the CA's made a slideshow of pictures from when he went to Slovakia for Christmas and showed the pictures to his residents as well as talked about the culture		X			The residents seemed quite interested in the pictures that were shown and the information that was given. It was a different way to give information out about the Slovakian culture
3/05/07	<b>Town Perk-</b> Residents and CA's went to the restaurant together and had dinner and good conversation.			X	X	This event was fun. Residents/ CA's enjoyed each other's conversations. It was a joyous occasion, students just sat around and talked about everyday life with each other. There was not much one could learn, except learn more about the people that were out with each other.
3/06/07	<b>Fun in the Sun</b> held in the KUB	X		X		Preventative measures and actions that can be taken to help reduce the risk of skin cancer from sun exposure, as well as signs and treatments of skin cancer and a testament from a cancer survivors.
3/6/07	<b>Computer Science, Mathematics, and Statistics Seminar-</b> featured highlights of upper level math courses at BU presentations preformed by members of Kappa Mu Epsilon (KME) the math honor fraternity.	X				Learned what was required in order to become a member of KME. Also saw some of the material taught in upper level math classes such as, Abstract Algebra, College Geometry, and Calculus 4.
3/06/07	<b>Women's Appreciation Night</b> presented by the brothers of Omega Psi Phi	X			X	This program embarked on woman's equal rights and celebrated the accomplishments woman have made. We also explored and were enlighten on some professional like Maya Angelou, Coretta Scott King, Rosa Parks, and many others.
3/7/07	<b>Obesity</b> – this event explained how telecommunications on medicine can be a very viable resource in both suburban			X		I learned how valuable telecommunications in medicine can be if everyone learns to understand and utilize the program

	and urban areas. People who participated in the study noticed a change in their health.					correctly. We also learned about Overweight people and how it is effected with the use of internet applications and better informed civilians.	
3/7/07	<b>Basketball Championship Intramural game-</b> the championship game for the basketball intramural				X	The residents and I watched the intramural championship in basketball. It was a chance for us to get together and watch a good game	
3/7/07	<b>Facts and Myths: St. Patrick's Day:</b> <i>Held in the Lobby</i> Fact or myth trivia with “Everything Irish” from questions concerning the country’s symbolism and currency, and the area of the US with the largest Irish ethnic pool (Boston), to influential Irish descendants that have served in office.		X		X	One out seven students who walked into Monty’s lobby stopped by the adorably decorated table sprinkled with all kinds of clover decorated green sweets, they enjoyed trying to answer the trivia questions in order to win free baked goods. The symbolism, and language questions are what seemed to intrigue the participants the most. It was an over all fun game that everyone enjoyed.	
3/8/07	<b>Sociology Graduate Talk</b> The sociology department invited 3 individuals attending graduate school to come and talk about their experiences with their programs.	X				The CA and students learned some very important information about the various types of graduate school programs. The information presented helped students to learn that there are various ways to get assitanceships in order to pay for graduate school.	
3/12/07	<b>Movies 4 Munchkins:</b> Programing committee collected PS2 video games and DVD’s appropriate for young viewers, they were donated to the Geisinger Hospital children’s ward.				X	Went to Wal-Mart and as passing a shelf of cheap children’s cartoons and series on DVD, I brought up the movie collection for the children’s ward going on across campus. Everyone who came along that day gladly picked out a dvd to donate. I emptied the M4M collection box for UCA, unfortunately there did not appear to be additional donations to our stack but at least we had approximately 10 cartoon DVD’s for donation.	
3/18/07	<b>St. Patty’s Day search:</b> Four, four leaf clover cutouts were hidden on each wing. Every clover had a fact about St. Patrick’s day on it, and the one who got the most answer the fastest received two candy bars of her choice.	X	X			X	Students learned about some of the customs and mythology associated with St. Patrick’s day in Ireland. They learned about what each leaf stands for, what a merrow is, and they learned about what a blarney stone is.
3/19/07	<b>Creative Memories Scrap booking Party-</b> A Creative Memories consultant came in and gave a 2 hour demonstration on scrap booking techniques.					X	Students learned different ways to display their photos in a creative way.
3/19//07	<b>Marble Madness-</b> One of the CA’s used marbles and had the residents cut out small pictures from magazines and glue them to the back of the marble. A magnet was then placed on the back of the marble. The history of marbles was also provided for the residents	X				X	The residents enjoyed this program because it was hands on. They enjoyed learning about the history of marbles and making some for themselves and others.
3/19/07	<b>CA Coffeehouse-</b> It was a coffee house for all the CA’s to get to know each other better and just have some fun on a weekday evening.					X	Had a coffee house, led by STIR, and got to know each other as CA’s. It was nice to interact and learn more about CA’s in different buidings.
3/20/07	<b>“The United States &amp; the Holocaust”-</b> Given by Dr. Richard Breitman. This lecture gave a brief overview of the	X		X			The lecture taught me about the actions or lack thereof taken by the United States during the holocaust. Dr. Breitman

	arguments made in Dr. Breitman's recent book.					explained a series of events in chronological order about the United States government's actions and decisions during the holocaust.
3/21/07	<b>Soundstage Coffee House</b>				X	Residents and I realized how much talent there is with people of our age. We also got a chance to enjoy the time we spend together outside of the dorm hall. We learned a lot about being in a band, and how much work and practice is involved.
3/21/07	<b>Date Rape-</b> A spokeswoman came to the multicultural center and spoke about the many different date rape drugs. Sponsored by MCC.	X	X			We learn about the different kind of date rape s drugs and about emotion and physical abuse among college students.
3/21/07	<b>Sound Stage; Open Mic-</b> Held in the Hideaway where anyone could come and sing, read a poem, play the guitar or whatever they wanted while they were on stage.				X	Learned about the many talents students have across campus.
3/21/07	<b>Danville State Hospital Catering-</b> This program was organized by one of the CA's and she and her residents went the State Hospital to cook dinner for the people who were there				X	The residents were very helpful in making dinner and seeing some of the people that were there and the conditions that they are in made them appreciate how much they have and be thankful for it. The residents talked about this trip for days afterward and would like to take another trip.
3/21/07	<b>Campus Safety-</b> This was a building wide program held in the Fireside lounge where a BU police officer came to talk about campus safety and thefts.	X		X		This was a very informational session that all the CA's attended as well as residents. The CA's reported that the officer gave useful on campus tips that they would not have thought about. The CA's also thought the program was appropriate due to the timing because the on campus thefts that had occurred. The residents seemed to enjoy the session as well as they listened attentively to the officer.
3/21/07	<b>FREE Rita's Italian Ice and Dunkin' Donuts Ice Coffee Social Run!</b> College kids can't fight with FREE! And the 21 <sup>st</sup> of March marks the kick off of Spring. It was a beautiful day running down to route 11 for some free sweets was a great laid back afternoon break from the books.				X	This was purely a social event driven by a beautiful afternoon and free stuff. It was a fun outing, and while getting free stuff was great...hanging out with new people was what made this outing awesome. Well received, I would definitely repeat!
3/21/07	<b>"A Maze in a Daze"</b> -This was a building wide program organized by a few of the CA's and the supplies were provided by the DAWN office. The CA's used some of the supplies the DAWN office gave to create an obstacle course for residents to go through while they were wearing the "drunk" glasses. The CA's also gave information about alcohol safety and awareness	X		X		The residents really enjoyed this program because it gave them a feel for being drunk and having to maneuver through a course. There was a line of residents waiting to go through the course. Also, many of the residents took the pamphlets that were provided on alcohol awareness.
3/22/07	<b>Hall Resume writing and updating session:</b> I had a meeting with some residents where I gave them some sources for resume information and we wrote some resumes and also updated previous ones	x			x	Residents got to update/write their resumes and it allowed them to teach each other as well.
3/22/07	<b>Peanut Bowl for Peanut Month-</b> This program was held in	X		X		This event taught students about the nutritional value of

	Monty's and offered the residents many trivia facts concerning peanuts and also discussed some of the nutritional value of peanuts as well. The event offered the chance to make peanut butter sandwiches and also had some different types of peanut butter candy.						peanuts and how eating peanuts can reduce the risk of heart disease as well as diabetes later in life. In addition, the students learned about other random and fun facts concerning peanuts and peanut butter.
3/22/07	<b>Danville State Hospital</b> – Volunteered to help run the karaoke night for the patients				X		Became more aware of the need to volunteer and help in the community. Gained a sense of accomplishment for donating time at the hospital.
3/23/07	<b>Breaking Benjamin concert</b> -band came to NFD to perform				X		Although it is not my style of music, it was good to see so many people gathering together to have a good time.
3/23/07	<b>Midnight Pizza</b> -the five percent, a great band, performed while students are pizza at the Fireside Lounge				X		The music was excellent! It was a nice thing to have available after the concert, and the leaders did an effective job keeping it from becoming out of hand (since many people has been drinking as a result of the <b>Breaking Ben</b> concert).
3/23/07	<b>Women's History Bingo &amp; Midnight Pizza</b> – Played bingo and they had a special bingo card to recognize women in honor of Women's History Month	X	X	X		X	This helped to make an impact to students in where they were able to get information on different women in history and famous women of today.
3/25/07	<b>Bowl for Kids Sake</b>					X	A bowling programs that helped raise money for children in the surrounding areas with rare diseases.
3/24/07	<b>Sarah Fleck and the Palpitations/RGL Concert</b> - held in the hideaway by the Programming Committee. There were 2 local bands that played here. It was fun to see some of Bloomsburg's students perform.					X	I learned a lot about the local music talent in this area. Students were able to get together and just relax.
3/24/07	<b>Semi Formal</b> - Program event. I went with residents and other staff.					X	I learned to loosen up and have a good time. This was a great time for stress relief.
3/25/07	<b>Movie Night "Battle Royale"</b> - The Korean film <u>Battle Royale</u> was shown and concessions sold to raise money for charity.		X	X	X	X	A foreign film exposed residents to minor elements of another culture as they helped raise money for charity.
3/26/07	<b>African Movie</b> - The multi-cultural center sponsored this movie during the African week. "Color Purple". Sponsored by MCC.		X				Learned about different races and what it was like to be African American in the 1920's.
3/26/07	<b>CGA meeting</b> – student council meets and discus's things on campus.					X	We met on upper campus at Mounties and a lot of students showed up and we went over the different food plans and completed surveys needed to make the food services better on campus.
3/26/07	<b>Food Focus Group</b> , student for IUP getting input from BU students for ideas for improvements of the food facilities on campus.					X	Learned that student option is important to those involved with the food service part of BU. Gave many helpful insights into possible improvements.
3/27/07	<b>Computer Science, Mathematics, and Statistics Seminar</b> presented by the provost about the applications of advanced mathematics in Oceanography.	X					Learned about some real world application of mathematics, particularly differential equations, as it pertained to analyzing sediment from the bottom of the sea.
3/27/07	<b>Black Cultural Society: Give Back night</b> - Played with local area kids.	X				X	Myself and others learned the importance of helping others.

3/27/07	<b>American Idol Get Together-</b> Hung out with residents to watch and comment on the singers of American Idol.					x	I learned that many of my residents loved watching “American Idol” and so I decided to have a n American Idol night in my dorm room for my resident to watch the show. I got to know more about my residents in a comfortable and friendly environment.
3/28/07	<b>“Defend Your Body, Learn Karate”-</b> A high level martial artist/self defense instructor led students through a highly participatory program centering on self-defense.	X	X	X	X	X	Residents learned of the benefits martial arts from Sensei Carl Clark as he led everyone through a mini session at an Okinawa Dojo.
3/28/07	<b>Get Lei’d:</b> Students ran to different CAs in the building in order to “get lei’d” by a CA. When they came back to the fireside that each color stood for an STD. They then learned about the STDs and played a trivia game about safe sex.	X		X		X	Students and I got a chance to learn more about STDs and how they can be transmitted. Also, we learned about different methods of birth control and which ones are most effective.
3/28/07	<b>Trio Banquet-</b> Bloomsburg University Gospel Choir sung at this event. Students were acknowledged for their support on campus , and much more.					X	Students listened to the choir sing, eat dinner , seen various awards be given out to numerous students, and etc.
3/28/07	<b>African Speaker: Solutions to Love-</b> a seminar on healthy and successful relationships from a cultural perspective.	X	X	X			We learned some factors of why we choose the relationships that we choose and how they reflect out personalities.
3/28/07	<b>Dirty Mind Game Show</b> in Montour Basement at 9:30pm. Students will be challenged to think on their feet using context clues that seem “dirty” when it’s really describing an actual object. Student also enjoyed drinks & snacks while watching the game.					X	Residents who usually don’t hang out got the chance to bond with each other. Again a sense of community was built and this was a great transition for students to intermingle with people they may not know.
3/29/07	<b>BU Dance Ensemble</b> – This program consisted of students coming together to support their fellow classmates as they entertain the public with their dancing talent and show their dedication to their dancing career.					X	This event was more or less a social event where residents and other members of the community come together to support their fellow peers. It also served as a form of entertainment for the students and taught them about the many different kinds of dances in our society including Acrodancing, African American dancing, and Irish dancing.
3/29/07	<b>Sing and Dance,</b> this was a fun event that took place in the ballroom and we danced and there was music.					X	I learned how to have fun with a few of my residents and how events like this needs to continue so there is interaction between people on campus.
3/29/07	<b>Movie with the residents:</b> White Noise; Was a movie about how to record the “dead” voices.					x	Got to know the residents better and
3/30/07	<b>BU Dance Ensemble #2-</b> different genres of dance were done by BU students			X		X	The CA’s and residents enjoyed this show and everyone was talking about it. The residents liked seeing the different types of dancing performed and some even said they are looking forward to next year as well.
3/30/07	<b>Danville High school :Diversity Panel-</b> A group of BU students went to Danville high school and spoke to 7 freshmen English classes on diversity in college/real world. Talked about racism, sexism, and stereotypes associated with some groups that are picked on in society.			X			Students learned about different stereotypes that are used to associate certain members of society. Learned how stereotypes are bad and how we should not use them. At the end of the day the students went away with knowing how stereotypes affect people and much more.
3/30/07	<b>African Heritage Cabaret-</b> two comedians present and a	X	X			X	Learned about the struggle of comedians and the profit of

	dinner was held						going to college.
3/30/07	<b>Bingo- Relay For Life:</b> This was bingo night where it was meant to help support relay for life and to raise money for it.				x	x	At this bingo I was one time as well as one of my residents who came with me. Because it was held to support relay for life I only won \$2.50 so I will put my winnings into my jar for penny wars to support Relay for Life.
3/30/07	<b>Baseball vs. ESU-</b> BU hosted East Stroudsburg for a home baseball game.					X	BU came back from down four in the top of the fourth only to lose in the end in game one of the double header 7-5.
3/31/07	<b>Solve Kids Fun Day-</b> provide activities for the kids in the community				X	X	Learned my sense of inner-child and my ability to laugh. Helped kids from the community adjust and have fun.
3/31/07	<b>The Breast Cancer Fashion Show-</b> This fashion show was to raise money for women suffering from breast cancer and it was sponsored by The Women's Center.			x		x	The students raised \$1500 for the fight against breast cancer. The show was very successful.
3/31/07	<b>Show Me What You Got Fashion Show-</b> This fashion show was raising money for battered women in the Women's Resource Center in Bloomsburg. They had numerous students from BU modeling in the show, as well as other students from other schools in PA. People were asked to donate 5 dollars to show.				X		Students just donated their money and seen students model their own clothes they made for the show. Very good cause and raised 1500 dollars based on students wanting to support each other.
3/31/07	<b>Mock GRE:</b> CA took a mock GRE held by the Psychology Dept.	X					Although the CA claims that s/he didn't do very well, it was a great opportunity to learn where I need improvement before taking the actual exam.
<b>March</b>							
3/1-3/9	<b>"5 Buck Cuts for Leukemia"</b> - This program was done by one of the CA's and he put up signs in all the dorms that he was giving haircuts and all the money would go to the Luke Gilligan foundation					X	The CA loves doing this program to help raise money for a good cause. The other CA's are very supportive to him as well. They help him make the signs to hang in all the dorms and come out to visit him while he is cutting hair. The residents love the opportunity as well. They can get their hair cut without having to leave campus as well as help out a good cause
3/19/07-3/25/07	<b>Penny Wars:</b> Residents throughout the building competed to win a free pizza party for their wing. Pennies were placed in the gallon jugs to be totaled at the end of the competition. Any non-penny currency was subtracted from a wing's point, while pennies added points. All money was donated to "Luke's Life".				X	X	Residents enjoyed a little friendly competition amongst one another. As well as providing for the community.
	Library/Study lounge/study sessions; New theme for study lounge	X	X	X	X	X	Studying for exams and finals together helps us bond, but also helps us understand the information better. Having a decorated study lounge is a good way for everyone to be relaxed to study and motivates people to help each other out.
	Movies for Munchkins – donated money and movies for kids to watch while stuck in the hospital					X	Learned the value of donating items, no matter how small they might seem. It was a way to make an impact on the lives of those much less fortunate than us.
	Meals with Residents (Brunch, Lunch, Dinner- Applebees, Campus Dining)					X	Eating meals with residents is a really great way to allow them to get to know each other. We talked about family,

							classes, and things we can do as a wing. I learned a lot about them, and they help me plan activities for the wing.
	Games: Monopoly					X	Games are great ways to bond through sharing of common interests, get your mind off of academics, and blow off some steam!
	Trips: Snowboarding, Skiing, Town Perk, Church					X	Residents always enjoy little trips together to get food or have some fun.
	Movies: Borat, American Pie: Naked Mile Run, Pursuit of Happyness, Blood Diamond, 300, The Color Purple	X	X	X		X	Some movies were just to hang out, relax and have a good time while other movies generated important and interesting conversation because of the content.
	Played Sports with Residents: Football, Basketball, and Volleyball					X	Playing sports with residents gets them involved with other residents on the wing/building. It's a great way to bond, participate, create teamwork, learn sportsmanship, and share in a common goal while getting exercise.
	Impact Night (Kehr Union Building)-- promotes Christianity on campus		X			X	This religious program creates a more social environment for Christians.
	Trips to the Rec Center			X		X	Allows for social opportunities while engaging in physical activity that promotes better fitness and health.
	<b><u>Educational Bulletin Boards-</u></b> "Pick that Professor" theme (This gives helpful ideas on how to locate and pick a professor.), Seasons, Women In History, Drunk Driving, Roller Coasters, The Effects of Marijuana, Cocaine and Ecstasy, Civic Engagement LLC bulletin board- "Next in Demand theme" (This board lists all of the Republican and Democrat candidates running for president in the 2008), Weather Board, Sleep Easy Bulletin Board (a bulletin board that listed 12 ways to improve your sleep as well as a few facts about sleeping), Skin Cancer, Seasonal Depression, Condom Protection, Frog Facts, Study Skills, Spring Facts, Ocean Facts, "PIE"- Math Facts, St. Patrick's Day, Keys to success at a job fair.	X	X	X	X	X	