

Residence Life Campus IMPACT Programming Report - March 2008

Date(s)	Event Title & Description (Describe briefly what was held or done)	I	M	PA	C	T	Outcomes: (Describe what either you or students learned from this event)
03/01/08	Ruthie Jordan Show - part of the Interpreting Conference; she is a Deaf storyteller.	X	X	X		X	Provide opportunities for students to experience the unique features of cultures other than their own. Explore social groups and social opportunities, as well as participate in events that develop skills fostering independence, responsibility, and preparation for life after college.
03/01/08	Nursing Home Visit				X		The residents realized that by taking one hour of their weekend and spending it in a Nursing Home really goes a long way. They learned that when the elderly see young adults going out of their way to play board games with them <u>it really puts a smile on their face.</u>
03/03/08	Ice Cream Charity Social			X	X	X	Students practiced communication skills with residents in their hall. We all talked about the summer diets that are going to take place, and how we can overcome the pressure as women to not eat and exercise all the time.
03/03/08	Played shout out with residents on the 2nd floor					X	I learned how to play a new game and residents got to know me better.
03/03/08	Workout video program: Taebo			X		X	Residents enhanced self esteem by changing their mindsets toward weight and beauty while increasing our heart rates.
03/04/08	Rock the Vote Concert- An on-campus sorority held a concert to bring voting awareness to Bloomsburg University Students. The Concert was held in the ballroom and several different bands came to educate the students on the importance of voting. While the bands played they held voting registration.			X	X	X	This concert provided voting awareness at Bloomsburg University. The bands played music explaining the importance of voting. They explained how Generation X is thought of as the generation that does not care. They discussed how important it is for young voters to vote and how much they can influence the world.
03/04/08	Special Olympics Basketball Practice--held at the Bloom Elementary School for local mentally handicapped people	X	X	X	X		Students and myself learned to relate more to different people and different personalities
03/04/08	Reflections on "Remaining Awake Through a Great Revolution:" Cultivating Insurgent Knowledge- Chandra Mohanty is a famous leader of the feminist movement who came to discuss current economic/political affairs	X	X	X			Residents learned about global trade, effects of private and government run organizations, and importance of freedom in a woman's point of view.
03/04/08	"Money Management" sponsored by PSECU	X		X			Residents learned how to lay out their own individual budget and learned tips for saving money.
03/05/08	Dollar Dinner at the CCM house.				X	X	We made chicken alfredo for dinner, attended mass, and served food to over 20 guests.

03/05/08	Lather Up For Spring Break Sponsored by the WRC	X		X		X	Residents learned different types of protection that should be used when going out in the sun, what other types of cancers can accompany skin cancer, and how to check to make sure you don't have cancer.
03/05/08	Campus Crusade for Christ - A concert and service		X			X	Residents went to support their CA while he played in a band. They also had the chance to socialize, have fun, and enjoy some music out of the building.
03/05/08	Promoting Safety on Spring Break sponsored by the DAWN Office.	X		X			Residents learned the importance of being safe and aware of their surroundings and actions when alcohol is involved.
03/06/08	Tannersville Outlets				X	X	My residents and I went shopping together and this came them a chance to learn more about their surroundings.
03/06/08	Tribute to Latino women and the movie Selena - there was a short presentation about famous latino women and then they showed the movie Selena	X	X			X	This program showed us great hispanic figures that made themselves known, it also taught us about one Spanish woman that was making her way to the top, until she was murdered.
03/07/08	Impact Youth Retreat- Some residents and I went to a Christian retreat to mentor youths.				X	X	I was a chaperone and mentor for 3 girls on this trip. We learned more about God and each other while fellowshipping with other christians.
03/07/08	Jared Box - A project designed to lift the spirits of chronically ill children.				X	X	In creating the Jared Box, we not only had fun decorating the box, but also realized how something as small as this would make some child really happy. I also hung fliers on my residents' doors informing them about the project and encouraging them do participate.
03/08/08	Relay for Life Team- Many members of the 7th floor have come together to form a team for Relay for Life. Together we have come up with our team theme "Lady and the Tramp". We are also in the process working together on brain storming fundraiser ideas.			X		X	The Girls are learning about Relay for Life as well as supporting the campus in it's efforts to raise money for cancer. By working together they are getting the chance to bond and interact with the girls from 7 North. While doing all this they are also being given the chance to become personally aware of cancer and how it can affect those around them and themselves.
03/10/08	Budgeting 101 Sponsored by the WRC	X				X	Residents were shown the importance of maintaining a budget for their money.
03/12/08	Social to Giant Grocery Shopping					X	Residents and I went to Giant and got groceries, and also walked around the upper campus baseball fields.
03/16/08	Business Training	X		X			Residents learned how to build a business in network marketing.
03/17/08	St Patrick's Day Party - "St. Patty's Day" themed food and games and information about the holiday was shared with residents and other staff members.	X	X			X	Residents and I learned about Irish heritage as well as fun St. Patrick's Day trivia. We also had a really good time and learned how to make homemade shamrock shakes.

03/17/08	Girls Bible Study- weekly meetings to discuss pertinent topics about the bible.	X	X		X	X	Through bible study my residents and myself have grown closer as friends and have influenced each other to make more wise decisions at school.
03/17/08	Obama Campaign including Celebrity Guest Speakers who support Obama.	X	X				Residents were provided with information that would benefit people in voting/government
03/18/08	Your Vote, Your Freedom- A small presentation by a Democracy Matters representative and made registration forms available for anyone wishing to register to vote.			X			We learned why it is important to vote and that it is our American right to vote. Also, we learned that one vote does make a difference.
03/19/08	Do You Think You Know Your Roommate? - Students competed in a game-show style to see which roommates knew each other best.				X	X	Residents were amazed at how much they really do not know about each other. This game really helps them to get to know each other better.
03/19/08	Easter Cards for the Elderly				X		Residents made cards for the elderly. They learned how one simple little gesture like that can make someone else's day.
03/19/08	M.O.R.E's fashion show		X		X		A chance for students to get together and have a good time for a good cost. All proceeds and benefits went to the Women's center.
03/20/08	Sankofa Lecture series-This was a lecture about the betrayal of woman in hip-hop.	X	X		X		Residents that attended this program not only learned how important the language used and the image we portray is to the level of respect we receive, but they also had the opportunity to voice their opinions on current issues about the respect of woman.
03/20/08	90's Style Jeopardy	X		X		X	This game show gave the residents a chance to relax and get to know each other. It also gave them a chance to test their knowledge of the decade they were born.
03/20/08	Budget 101 - WRC program that deals with college students and working with a budget and also dealt with credit cards.	X		X		X	Explore social groups and social opportunities, as well as participate in events that develop skills fostering independence, responsibility, and preparation for life after college.
03/20/08	You Can Do it!- Motivational lecture teaching us that we can accomplish our dreams and goals if we are determined enough to achieve them.	X		X		X	Both residents and myself learned the importance of setting quality goals and how to reach those goals. It was a very inspirational lecture which left everyone with useful knowledge that will help us for our time in school and the future.
03/20/08	Presentation on Google Tools - A professor gave a presentation on how google tools can help students throughout their college career.	X					I was able to learn how to use google to the full advantage and how it can benefit me in future classes.
03/20/08	Fashion Show in the Ballroom		X			X	I learned about the fashion world and different styles of clothing

03/20/08	Lycoming Olympics Stage 1 - This event was held in Lycoming and was a poker tournament.	X				X	The residents were able to learn how to play poker as well as bond with each other in friendly competition
03/20/08	What's Wrong with Hip Hop Discussion with Dr. Sharon Stringer	X	X	X			Residents learned the different viewpoints on whether or not hip hop artists should use slurs to degrade women and blacks.
03/22/08	Blithe Spirits sponsored by BTE	X		X		X	Residents enjoyed the play while learning the importance of not getting involved in a controlling relationship.
03/22/08	Everything Skit- a skit to educate others about Jesus and Christianity.	X	X				Residents attended and found the skit very helpful and relevant to their walk with the Lord.
03/22/08	Easter Sunday service: Went to church	X	X	X		X	Residents focused positive energy and gained spiritual upliftment with the community.
03/23/08	NCAA March Madness brackets - residents who participated picked their favorite team and competed against other residents in the building for recognition. The winner's name was displayed in the lobby for all to see					X	Residents were able to relax and have fun while participating in some friendly competition with other residents throughout the building.
03/23/08	Murder Mystery- Residents solved a murder mystery in Luzerne Hall.	X		X		X	Residents enjoyed solving a mystery as well as information on suicide.
03/24/08	Penny Wars North Hall; North hall currently has penny war competition which the winner gets rita's				X	X	Students use a friendly competition to win Rita's and donate money
03/25/08	Tye Dye Social - Residents were able to attend the social and tye dye some of their clothing with 6 different colors.					X	Residents got the opportunity to relax and mingle with resident from other wings, as well as CA's, SCAs and the GHD. They had the chance to share ideas and teach others how to tye dye. This was a great experience for communication skills.
03/25/08	Pizza and Politics was an open forum to talk about the upcoming elections.	X				X	We learned how influential college students are going to be in the upcoming election. Our demographic is going to be a big factor in the future of our country.
03/25/08	Kards 4 Kids - We supplied residents as well as other staff members with art supplies in order to make inspirational cards for children in the hospital				X	X	Residents learned that they can make a difference with a simple act of kindness and a few minutes of their day. They also appreciated the opportunity to encourage a child.
03/26/08	Montour Tie-Dye – Residents and CA's came to the lobby of Montour to have a chance to tie-dye a shirt any way they like.					X	This was a great time to bond with the residents as well for the residents to better know their CA's. It was a good fun time to relax and de-stress.

03/26/08	Ballroom Blitz				X	X	The ballroom blitz was a series of events hosted by Program Board. First, there was the comedian K.T. Tatara. This comedian was extremely funny and set a good mood for the night. Next, there was bingo. Not only was it bingo, but you could also make charitable contributions to help people make Jared Box's. After that, there was a performance from M-80, which is an 80's cover band. Overall, this was just a <u>fun social night that helped give back to the community.</u>
03/26/08	Peter Riffle	X		X		X	Students enjoyed hearing experiences that Peter Riffle has had throughout his teaching career in a Special Education classroom. He also gave helpful tips on how to be an effective teacher.
03/26/08	Alcohol 101: There was information recited on alcoholism and also a measurer of Blood Alcohol Content. There was also non alcoholic drink made			X		X	Both the students and myself learned about different types of drinkers (Social and Problem).
03/26/08	Mock Interviews with Kristen Seeger from Kreisler Miller CPA firm	X					Kristen came again to campus to do mock interviews. She showed a couple Do's and Don'ts with a student. I learned a lot from this because I have been on some interviews and I will definately have more in the future.
03/26/08	Date Rape - Information was provided about the power of date rape, and questions were asked to see how much the students knew	X		X			We learned many interesting facts and statistics about the prevalence of date rape. We also learned about preventions and cautions concerning date rape.
03/26/08	Law and Order LUZ: The Luzerne Hall staff put on a play in which we investigated the death of a successful man and people's different motives for killing him.	X		X		X	Residents learned that about the different resources to turn to in stressful times such as BUPD, counseling, residence life hall staff, etc.
03/26/08	STD Mafia: How diseases are spread	X		X		X	Residents played a game that uses ones ability to decipher and trick your opponent while learning about pathogens.
03/26/08	Food Shopping- Residents made healthy choices while food shopping.			X		X	Residents enjoyed shopping for food together as well as making healthy food choices.
03/27/08	Vanguard Resume Workshop- The company The Vanguard Group provided their time to help business majors teek their current resumes to better.	X					We learned how to advertise ourselves better for the real-world. The resume workshop provided us with the real knowledge, not the theoretical textbook ideas.
03/27/08	Alcohol Program- Students were given a set of facts about drinking, alcohol, and alcoholism. Non-alcoholic beverages, such as pina coloda and sparkling grape juice were also served.			X		X	Students learned the importance of not drinking. They learned about the awful things that alcohol can do to the human body, and about the consequences of drinking too much at one time.

03/27/08	H2O Pong			X		X	Residents learned about the negative effects that alcohol has on their body compared to the positive effects of water on their body.
03/27/08	Making Peanut Butter Balls with residents					X	The residents got to take a break from their studies and spend quality time with their CA's and neighbors while making a little snack.
03/27/08	Domestic Violence sponsored by WRC			X			We learned startling statistics about the community and prevalence of violence in this area and around the country. It also gave us knowledge to escape future abuse.
03/27/08	Multicultural Bingo- This was a program put on by DASL. We played bingo and ate cultural foods.	X	X			X	At bingo we learned a lot about other cultures and there food through the different foods that DASL cooked and the terms we used to play bingo. This also gave me the opportunity to bond with a few of the girls from my floor in a relaxed environment in which we learned more about each other's humor and likes.
03/27/08	Supporting Caring Communities for AIDS- My impact group and I organized a bake sale and wrist band sale in support of Caring Communities for AIDS.			X	X		My group and I learned the importance of supporting our local community. I also learned a lot about working together and delegating jobs.
03/27/08	Lycoming Olympics Stage 2 - This event was held in Lycoming and was a Wii sports tournament.	X				X	Residents learned about the various ways and games involved in the wii sports gaming system. They competed against one another and were able to relax and have fun.
03/27/08	Dance Ensemble- The BU dancers put on their annual spring recital. Many various types of dances were portrayed such as African, hip hop, jazz, Irish step, etc. Residents got to enjoy a non-academic event, and were able to support fellow classmates.		X			X	Residents, along with myself, were able to become familiar with the different dance teams that there were on campus and maybe learn some new dance moves :)
03/28/08	BCS Poetry Slam: Dana Gilmore (known for her performances on Russell Simmons Def Poerty Slam) was featured and recited poetry about her lifes experiences.	X	X			X	We learned about experiences through the eyes of Dana Gilmore as well as amatuer poets and how poetry is a expressive art.
03/28/08	Bus Driver Appreciation Day - Gathered residents to sign card, and then present it with coffee and doughnuts to Shuttle Bus Drivers of BU.					X	Residents learned how easy and appreciative it can be to do something nice for others - even what seems to be small gestures can mean a whole lot.
03/28/08	Bingo					X	Playing Bingo with the residents and staff was an opportunity to take a break from classes and have a good time. It also gave us a chance to try and win some money!

03/28/08	Midnight Pizza - hung out with some residents and ate pizza.					X	Explore social groups and social opportunities, as well as participate in events that develop skills fostering independence, responsibility, and preparation for life after college.
03/28/08	5K walk/run				X	X	Students were able to show their appreciation for victims awareness by walking 3 miles. All donations went to a good cause.
03/28/08	BCS's Poetry Slam	X	X	X		X	Residents learned about a different style of poetry. They also got a chance to eat and listen to BET's def poetry artist Dana Gilmore. They learned about life and the many problems people face through poetry.
03/28/08	Earth Hour- For one hour we did not use electricity as a way to help the planet.	X		X	X	X	Residents did not use electricity or power for one full hour and had a good time playing games and enjoying each others company.
03/28/08	History of Hot tea- A wide variety of teas were set out for residents to try. While drinking their tea of choice, facts were read about the history of tea as well as the nutritional factors that go with drinking tea.	X		X		X	Residents learned about tea history, the wide variety of teas, and the nutritional facts of tea. A comparison was also made between drinking coffee or tea on a regular basis.
03/29/08	Victims Awareness Walk - This walk was held to raise money for the woman's shelter and to promote victims awareness.			X		X	The residents and I were able to learn some real life issues that many people must deal with as well as ways to help. Students learned the importance of donating and helping the community in a good way. They also learned about staying healthy by walking or running in the walk.
03/29/08	Day at the Park - Residents played ultimate frisbee, basketball, and other activities in the park					X	Residents engaged in fun outside activities.
03/29/08	Bloomsburg baseball double header against Kutztown University with residents.				X	X	Residents supported their class mates and were introduced to new campus experiences
03/30/08	Spring Concert held in Haas.					X	The residents went to show their support to other students involved. They learned that it takes a lot of hard work to put on a show that lasts only a short amount of time.
03/30/08	Victims Awareness Walk - This event was a walk around the campus. It was organized by the Helping others club and the Criminal Justice club.	X		X	X		the run/walk was a charity fundraiser. The participants were able to get good workout while helping out a good charitable cause.
03/30/08	Baking - Baking various pastries with residents for a program they were supporting				X	X	I love showing my support for residents when I can and they really appreciate a more involved CA. It's nice to give verbal support, but a hands on approach really goes a long way.

03/30/08	Relay for Life Banners and Posters were created to be displayed in support of the survivors and supporters participating during the walk/run.				X		The residents had the opportunity to take a break from their studies and create "words of encouragement" for the participants of the relay for life cause.
03/30/08	Midnight Pizza: Program Board put together a night of free pizza and entertainment.					X	Midnight pizza was really fun it was a nice chance to once again meet new people and listen to different music. The band was really good.
03/31/08	Business Briefing	X				X	Residents learned about network marketing and how to protect themselves as well as others from the fastest growing crime in the U.S, identity theft.
03/31/08	How well do you know your roommate (Game Show)					X	The residents learned the importance of establishing a valuable relationship with the person that they live with. They also shared a few laughs and interesting facts about the people they live with in their community.
03/31/08	Academic Planning Discussion- Residents discussed their academic plans.	X		X		X	Residents enjoyed talking about our courses and work for the semester.
March	Campus Crusade for Christ- weekly meeting to learn about God and fellowship with each other.	X	X				The residents and I learn new ways of applying the bible in our lives and connect with fellow christians.
March	"Coloring Princesses". Each of my residents received a picture with a Disney Princess on it. If they colored the picture and showed it to me, they won a small prize.					X	This program was designed to help my residents relax when it was convenient for them. They could take a fifteen minute break from studying and working to color.
March	"Who's The Girl?" Game. I created a game made up of quotes from Disney Women. This could include princesses, villianesses, or any female characters.	X				X	This game is designed to allow my residents to have fun together at their leisure. Many of my residents would walk around the hallway in groups, discussing who said which quote. Several of them began to watch Disney movies together after they completed the game.
March	Library/Study lounge/study sessions; New theme for study lounge, Study Buddy program	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. Great hit with residents!!
March	Board/Video games (chess, Madden, card games); Super Smash Tournament, Guitar Hero Contest - canned food drive for entry; Apples to Apples game, Jailbreak, Halo Tournament, Rockband					X	Board and video games are great ways to bond through sharing of common interests, get your mind off of academics, and blow off some steam!

March	Athletic Events with Residents in Community (wiffleball, softball, basketball, flag football, baseball, working out at the rec center) Intramural Basketball, Intramural Volleyball, Intramural Softball, Club Baseball					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. Some residents learned the fundamentals of certain sports because they had never played them before.
March	Hanging Out, Hall Rounds, Girls Nights, Pop for a Pop, Candy Chat	X		X		X	Went to all resident rooms and checked in with them to see how their week was going. Learned what classes people registering for in the fall. Discussed personal healthy/eating issues and stuff about the opposite sex; Ate popsicles while we chatted in the hallway
March	Campus Crusade for Christ - Residents gathered for a large-group meeting and listened to speakers	X	X	X		X	Residents learned about using the gifts that God has provided us with.
March	TV/Movies - LOST, I Am Legend, Cinderella, Big Brother, American Idol, March Madness Events Tournaments, MTV, Scrubs, Smallville, Political debate, CSI, Magic School Bus	X			X	X	Residents watched TV and movies to grow closer as a community. For March Madness, students entered into brackets to compete in predicting which basketball teams would win
March	Sunday School/Church - We went to Shiloh Bible Church.	X	X	X		X	Residents learned about faith sermon on Hebrews 11.
March	Bulletin Boards: "Got Jokes?", What you should know about Pap Smears, HPV, good hygiene, Self Esteem, Know Your Candidates board, Save The World board, "Winter Slump Hump", Hanami, Exercise Pyramid, I have a Dream, How are you feeling?, Hazards of smoking, No Smoking, Global Warming, St. Patrick's Day History, CPR/Red Cross Month, HIV/STD awareness, Billiard Facts, Sleep, Domestic Violence, Are you following bad advice?, Caveman Facts, Wish Upon a Cure, Recyclemania, Animal Facts, Election 08, Relay for Life, Poets, Effects of Smoking, Custodial Appreciation, Get involved Calendar of Events	X	X	X	X	X	A wide variety of topics were covered in bulletin boards, CAs displayed bulletin boards in their hallways concerning important topics of the month. Residents learned interesting and/or little known facts about all of the topics. These topics affect a majority of all college students at one time or another, so having this information displayed where students can access it easily could potentially have a profound positive impact on them in a variety of ways.
March	Meal Events: Ruby Tuesday's, Pizza and Politics, Meals at the Commons, IK, Union; Coffee at Java City, Dunkin Donuts, Chinese Restaurant, Rita's Ices, Denny's, The Big Chill, Diner, Jojos, Naps, Dominos Night, Applebees Relay for Life Dinner	X			X	X	Communities went to meals/eateries together just to get away from campus for a while and relax. We learned that its always good to take time out for our selves instead of stressing all the time.

March	Movie Nights: I am Legend, I Now Pronounce You Chuck & Larry, No Country for Old Men, Gridiron Gang, Sweeney Todd, Thank You for Smoking, Bend it Like Beckham, Selena, I Am Legend, Semi-Pro, Crash, Star Wars, Cloverfield, Meet the Robinsons, Little Princess	X	X	X	X	X	Residents were able to learn about various topics that were featured in each movie. It was a nice break from studying for tests and allowed people to bond together on the weekends as well. Going off campus to a movie theater is exciting because you get to talk about a lot of stuff going on in your life and also hear the different perspective of the movie you saw.
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