Opportunities in Community Service, Civic Engagement and Civic Leadership...Leading to a life of Engaged Citizenship.

COMMUNITY SERVICE
5th Annual Festival of Nations-3/31 (1-3pm)
HWS Day of Service –4/12 (12-4pm)
Bowl for the Club-4/21 (10am-3pm)
HWS Blood Drive-4/26 (1-7pm)
Autism Awareness Walk– 4/28 (8am start)
Check out the TED event that a prospective student is organizing

CIVIC LEADERSHIP
April 1st Deadline for Summer Service Scholars Program at Siena College

ENGAGED CITIZENSHIP
Rebecca Charlton—AmeriCorps Teacher at Covenant Prep
Paid Environmental Education Opportunities-FL Institute
New Graduate Program- Leadership in Social Justice at St Mary’s College
Program Coordinator needed-Jewett Tucker Foundation, Dartmouth College
SKYPE with Alum and Peace Corps Volunteer-Shanelle France WS’ 11
Volunteers Needed

The 5th Geneva Festival of Nations

Saturday, March 31, 2012
Geneva High School
1:00-3:00 PM

E-mail serve@hws.edu
Or call 315-781-3825 to sign up

Celebrate the diverse cultures in our own community!
**HWS Days of Service 2011-2012**

**Arbor Day Foundation**
http://www.arborday.org/programs/treecampususa/video/

**Tree Campus USA**

**Time:** Saturday, April 12th from 12-4pm

**Place:** Quad (rain location is the Barn)

Free Lunch! Wear old Day of Service shirts!

[Click here to sign up!](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/viewform?formkey=dG52WVpTTW9EcHNYY2RNdTlHX2dKNGc6MQ#gid=0)
5th Annual
BOWL
for THE CLUB
Boys & Girls Club of Geneva

Saturday, April 21st
Hour Time-slots Available From 10:00 am to 3:00 pm
GRAND PRIZE: $1000 CASH CARD

sponsored by
FINGER LAKES
BONE & JOINT CENTER
SUNSET BOWL
Geneva, New York

For more information or to reserve a lane call 315-759-6060

Get Three Friends and Form a Team! Gather Your Pledges and Bowl a Game for FREE! Proceeds Benefit the Boys & Girls Club of Geneva.
Celebrate America’s pastime!

All presenting donors this April are eligible to enter for a chance to win a $50 gift card to use toward team gear or tickets to cheer on your favorite major or minor league team.

This April, in honor of America’s pastime, get in the game and help save lives by donating blood. It only takes about an hour of your time and your one donation could help save up to 3 lives!

HOBART & WILLIAM SMITH COLLEGE
BLOOD DRIVE
SPONSORED BY THE
Center for Community
Engagement & Service-Learning

THURSDAY, APRIL 26, 2012
1:00 PM – 7:00 PM
The Barn

The need is constant. The gratification is instant.
Give blood.

Contact Community Engagement Department at (315) 781-3825
or e-mail Spencer McCormick at SPENCER_MCCORMICK@hws.edu or go to
http://hwscolleage.givesblood.org to schedule your lifesaving appointment
If you donated on or before
MARCH 1 (Whole Blood) or JANUARY 5 (Double Red Cell),
you are eligible to donate.

Schedule your blood donation appointment today!
redcrossblood.org | 1-800-RED CROSS (800-733-2767)

Offer valid for all presenting donors from April 1-30, 2012. Prizes are nontransferable and not redeemable for cash. One winner will be selected each day for the entire month of April. Employees of the American Red Cross are not eligible to enter. Prize will be awarded as a $50.00 gift card.
Winners will be notified by 5/31/2012.
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Autism Awareness Walk

Join us as we walk to raise awareness during National Autism Awareness Month
Saturday, April 28, 2012
Eastview Mall, Victor, NY
at the open court in front of the former Bon-Ton
7:30 am registration; 8:00 am start

Happiness House is the Premier Provider of Autism Services
offering Education • Family Support • Evaluation Services
Residential • Therapeutic • Service Coordination

Sponsorship opportunities:

Please indicate below your level of sponsorship:

___ Pacesetter ($2,000)
   Exclusive recognition on banner, posters, & promotional items, logo on t-shirts

___ Stride Sponsor ($750)
   Name recognition on t-shirts, posters

___ Step Sponsor ($100)
   Name recognition on posters

Sponsor Name/Organization: __________________________________________________________

Name as you would like it to read on promotional materials: ______________________________

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Street:

City: __________________ State: ______ Zip: ________ Phone #: _________________________

E-mail: ____________________________________________________________

Please make check payable to Happiness House Foundation
and return with completed sponsorship form to:
Happiness House Foundation, Attn: Cheryl Coppola
5415 County Road 30, Canandaigua, NY 14424
(585) 394-8178 x7264
ccoppola@happinesshouse.org

To ensure proper sponsorship recognition on event media, please send advertisements and/or logos
no later than April 13, 2012 to Amy Coron at: acoron@happinesshouse.org
Phone #: (585) 394-8178 x7213  Fax: (585) 394-5326
or mail to Happiness House, 5415 County Rd. 30, Canandaigua, NY 14424

www.happinesshouse.org
### Autism Awareness Walk

Name: 
Address: 
City: 
State/Zip:
Phone: 
E-mail: 

Individual  Team  Team name:
Team captain's name: 
Team members: 

No minimum fee ◊ No registration fee ◊ Please register all participants including those in strollers or wagons

**Saturday, April 28, 2012 ◊ 7:30 am registration**

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Total amount enclosed:

100% of funds received go to Happiness House Foundation to benefit Happiness House's Autism programs and services.

For more information, contact Cheryl Coppola (555) 394-8176 x7264

5415 County Road 50, Canandaigua, New York 14424
Check out the webcast of this impressive event that a prospective student from Greenwich, CT is Organizing...
Summer Internship Program
June 4th – August 10th

Deadline for Application – April 1st

All internships are with local nonprofits in New York’s state capital

Most interns qualify to receive one of two AmeriCorps awards used towards current tuition or existing student loans

Students participate in a seminar series that examines best practices in community development, the role of nonprofits in this process and focused reflection on the internship work that they are doing.

3-6 credits "ADTV480: Internship in Sustainable Community Change"

Priority Deadline is April 1st at http://www.siena.edu/ace
   click on Summer Service Scholars

For internship placement descriptions, FAQ's and to apply visit http://www.siena.edu/ACE (click on Summer Service Scholars) or

Contact Ruth Scipione-Kassel at rscipione@siena.edu.
Rebecca Charlton '11 is working as a middle school teacher at Covenant Preparatory School in Hartford, Conn., and is trying to continue the school's HWS legacy by recruiting another Hobart or William Smith student to serve next year. Charlton was recruited to the teaching post by Ned Turney '10.

"It is a wonderful opportunity for graduates, and I would be honored and excited if HWS could continue its positive streak of committing our intelligent and dedicated graduates to Covenant Prep," says Charlton. "Coming from a service-learning background, I think that HWS students are ideally suited to understand Covenant's goal of providing underprivileged boys with a bright future."

Opened in 2008, Covenant has 55 students and a staff made up of AmeriCorps Volunteer teachers, which allows the school to maintain a 5:1 student-teacher ratio. Providing its students with more personalized attention, the school also requires greater responsibility from its teachers.

"This is not a typical teaching position," explains Charlton, who teaches sixth-grade math and seventh-grade reading and language arts, she also coaches a sports class and organizes Friday Night Fun Nights and field trips.

A four-year varsity rower, Charlton said her time at William Smith provided her with a great background for the position. "Being an athlete provided me with the flexibility, creativity and an ability to multitask, and as an anthropology major, I learned a lot about cultural differences," she says.

Open to students of all majors, Covenant is part of the AmeriCorps program and is seeking candidates who are willing to teach, coach and run afternoon and evening activities. The school provides teacher with comfortable living arrangements within walking distance of Covenant Prep and health insurance. In addition, volunteers receive a monthly stipend and a weekly grocery allowance. In addition, teachers receive an AmeriCorps grant of $5,000 at the completion of each year of the program.

While at William Smith, Charlton completed an anthropological study on women and sports in North India, and served as a volunteer for Jumpstart, a non-profit organization that works with low-income pre-school students to improve language and reading skills.

For more information, contact either Charlton at heronalum11@gmail.com or Covenant Prep School Principal Meara Weaver principal@covenantprep.org. Details about the job can also be found on Covenant's website, http://www.covenantprep.org/employment.html.
Graduate and Undergraduate Student Environmental Education Opportunities

Title: Watercraft Monitoring Steward
Open Positions: Multiple

Location: Finger Lakes and Southern Lake Ontario boat launch sites
Duration: Approximately June 1 – August 31, 2012
Deadline: Rolling until positions are filled

Summary of Position:

The Watercraft Monitoring Steward will be responsible for public outreach and education on slowing and preventing the spread of aquatic invasive species (AIS). Each steward will be responsible for conducting watercraft inspections and educating watercraft operators according to a standard operating procedure for controlling AIS throughout the Finger Lakes/Lake Ontario waterways.

Under the supervision of Finger Lakes Institute at Hobart and William Smith Colleges (FLI) staff, the Watercraft Monitoring Steward will collect daily data on boater activity and invasive species surveillance, and weekly progress reports will be required that summarize this information. In addition, a site-specific outreach and/or research project will be completed by the Steward based on mutual interests of the Steward and the FLI.

Watercraft Monitoring Stewards will be required to work on weekends and holidays.

Successful candidates must show exceptional interpersonal skills as well as an enthusiasm for protecting aquatic ecosystems. Steward will be required to attend a comprehensive training program that will prepare them for the position.

Duties include but are not limited to the following:

- Conduct public education and outreach programs regarding the significance of New York’s aquatic ecosystems and the threat of the spread of invasive species at watercraft launch sites and disseminate educational information, press releases, and other materials as requested.
- Conduct individual surveys regarding use of watercraft launches and practices.
- Participate in FLI-hosted service events such as invasive species pulls, beach cleanups, etc.
- Attend weekly meetings with FLI staff to discuss progress and data collected.

Knowledge/Skills/Abilities:

- Excellent interpersonal communication skills. Must have the ability to successfully and clearly present information and ideas to a diverse audience, and to react in a positive, proactive manner in confrontational circumstances.
- Must be a college student or recent graduate with experience in environmental education, natural resources management, biology, ecology, environmental studies/science, or a related field.
- Familiarity with aquatic invasive species and the general ecology of the Great Lakes and Finger Lakes region is preferred.
- Ability to work independently and responsibly without direct supervision.
- Ability to accurately collect and summarize data according to established protocol.
- Valid Driver’s license. Must provide own transportation to work sites and meeting locations.
- Ability to perform tasks requiring physical exertion, long hours in the sun, and travelling if necessary.

Hourly Wage: $12.00; 40 Hours/week

Please send cover letter, resume, and three references to: Lisa Cleckner, Director
The Finger Lakes Institute

Email: Cleckner@hws.edu
Phone: 315-781-4381
M. A. in Leadership for Social Justice Concentration

Designed for non-profit managers, community organizers, direct service

Attend an Open House

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380 Moraga Road
The Volunteer Coordinator will work to impact local area New Hampshire and Vermont schools and non-profit organizations through development and coordination of student volunteer programs.

Duties include:

Program Coordination:
Assisting the Program Officer for Local Service, you will advise and manage the local service programs. This includes designing and implementing recruitment plans and events; monitoring the status of ongoing volunteer projects to ensure good practices and community collaboration; and providing consultation to students and student groups on project ideas.

Student Staff and Leadership Training:
In this role, you will supervise current student staff in their daily duties while identifying and facilitating leadership training opportunities. You will also work to coordinate the recruitment, selection, and training of student staff.

Community Liaison Acting:
As the primary contact person for the outside community, you will maintain productive working relationships with partner agencies, schools, and non-profit organizations.

TWO YEAR PROGRAM
Working within a local service 'team' of students and professional administrators, you will oversee the logistics and implementation of 25+ programs. The program provides approximately 40,000 hours of service annually, through the passion and work of 1,500 students.

FOCUS
Child and youth mentoring, food and shelter, educational enrichment, and community health-care are focal emphases in the program. Every week, students are building affordable houses, cooking community dinners, mentoring area youth, tutoring reading to adults and children, leading outdoor challenges, assisting in free health clinics or visiting "adopted" grandparents.

APPLY
searchjobs.dartmouth.edu/applicants/Central?quickFind=56841

Applicants are expected to have the following background:

- Bachelor's Degree or the equivalent in education and experience. * Minimum of 2 years of experience as a Community volunteer at the college level or closely related field.
- Strong organizational and interpersonal skills as well as a keen attention to detail.
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills including public presentation ability.
Join Shanelle France ’11 via Skype as she discusses life after HWS and volunteering for Peace Corps in Lesotho.

Thursday, March 29, 2012 at 5pm
Intercultural Affairs, Conference Room
288 Pulteney Street

Shanelle France ’11

Thursday, March 29
5 p.m.
Intercultural Affairs
Conference Room

France, a member of the Peace Corps, is currently in Lesotho, a landlocked country in southern Africa. France is working as a Resource Teacher, traveling between two different elementary schools and observing teachers in their classrooms. She is also creating workshops that teach the teachers different intervention methods or ways in which they can better reach their students.