



Hello Norwich Families -

Welcome to our last e-newsletter issue of the school year. Time has flown by and the end of the semester is just over 2 weeks away. Seniors are getting ready to graduate and everyone is ready for some well-earned time off this summer. Thank you for partnering with all of us on the Hill for a successful school year!

Very respectfully,



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## FROM THE DEAN OF STUDENTS AND THE COMMANDANT OF CADETS

We have enjoyed the opportunity to deliver fully in-person academic, co-curricular, and leader development student experiences this academic year. One of the pinnacle student experiences was Junior Weekend in late March when eligible juniors received their Norwich Junior Rings and celebrated safely on campus.

We look forward to the arrival of COL William McCullough '91, USMC (Ret.) incoming Commandant of Cadets and Vice President for Student Affairs, to lead all Norwich students, the Commandant's Staff, and the Student Affairs team this summer. He is excited to bring his vision, welcome new and returning students in August, and lead the student life and leadership development experiences for all students.

It's been a challenging yet rewarding experience for both of us to serve in the acting capacities that we held this academic year. We want to thank President Anarumo for his confidence in us and for his support, and that of our team, professional colleagues, faculty, and students. We both will remain in Student Affairs, serving Norwich and our varied constituents.

Below is essential information for you and our students to know. As we think ahead to Summer, please encourage your students to prioritize any outstanding academic coursework and live the [Norwich Guiding Values](#).

### **FALL 2022 HOUSING**

The Fall 2022 Housing process is in progress. Intent to Return Forms were due Monday, April 11. All students, including graduating seniors must complete the Form. If your student has not yet completed the Form, please encourage them to do so. Students will need to use their Norwich login to access the [Intent to Return Form](#).

### **FINAL EXAMS AND CHECK-OUT**

Winter seems to have passed, we trudged through “mud season,” and we’re now starting to see some sun, green, and buds on trees. That must mean that final exams are approaching! The final exam week is scheduled for Saturday, April 23rd through Friday, April 29th. Faculty grades for seniors are due Thursday, April 28 and all grades are due Tuesday, May 3rd, so students should expect to see their final grades in Banner by those dates.

Students are required to vacate the residence halls and barracks within 24-hours of their last final exam or academic project. Residence Halls and barracks close at noon on Saturday, April 30. *(However, the residence halls and barracks will remain open through noon on Sunday, May 1st for students who are graduating and/or commissioning.)* We anticipate that a very small number of students may need an extended stay on campus. Cadets who require an extended stay must submit a request to their company mentor no later than Monday, April 25th. Civilian students who require an extended stay must email [nureslife@norwich.edu](mailto:nureslife@norwich.edu) no later than Monday, April 25th.

The last meal served in the dining hall will be breakfast from 8:00 – 10:00 a.m. on Sunday, May 1st.

As always, please encourage your students to take full advantage of [student support services on campus](#), including the [Academic Achievement Center](#), [Career & Internship Center](#), and the [Counseling & Wellness Center](#) to underpin academic performance and student success.

### **Norwich Together! Norwich Forever!**



Gregory P. McGrath  
Acting Dean of Students  
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William E. Passalacqua '88  
Acting Commandant of Cadets

## 2022 COMMENCEMENT AND COMMISSIONING

Commencement and Joint Commissioning is coming in about two weeks on Saturday, April 30th. Please continue to check the [Commencement website](#) for updates, including a graduation checklist, tickets, and more.

Please [visit this link](#) to see the full commencement and commissioning schedule, with events starting on Thursday, April 28th.

Also, please note end of semester/ commencement dining service hours of operation as follows:

### Friday, April 29

Dunkin Donuts: 7:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

The Mill: 3:00-10:00 p.m.

#### Dining Hall

Breakfast: 6:45-9:30 a.m.

Continental Breakfast: 9:45-10:45 a.m.

Lunch: 11:00 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Snack: 1:30-4:45 p.m.

Dinner: 5:00-8:00 p.m.

### Saturday, April 30

Dunkin Donuts: 7:00-9:00 a.m. and 12:00-6:00 p.m.

The Mill: 12:00-6:00 p.m.

#### Dining Hall

Breakfast: 6:45-9:30 a.m.

Lunch: 11:30-2:00 p.m.

Dinner: 4:30-6:30 p.m.

## GIVE GRATITUDE



In celebration of the end of the academic year, we are asking the Norwich community to spread gratitude across campus. [Will you join us by honoring your student?](#) When you make a gift of any amount, include your student's name and a special note. We will print and deliver your note to them during the final week of April.

Looking for a more permanent way to celebrate your student? With your gift of \$1,000 or more, you will receive a brick on the Upper Parade Ground that can be engraved in celebration of your student (limit of 48 characters).

## PACKING UP AND HEADING HOME

**SUMMER STORAGE.** Please note that Norwich does not provide summer storage of belongings on campus. However, there are many local (Montpelier & Barre) storage facility options for returning students to store their belongings in VT while they head home for the summer. Students can coordinate with their on-campus peers to share the cost of storage or even find more creative and free storage solutions with local NU families. Additionally, students can also work with the Norwich mailroom to ship out items from Norwich (*being sure to plan ahead and pay for shipments at the time of drop off*).

Families can also visit the [Cadet Connection Facebook group](#) that was started and run by you, our NU families, with the intent on sharing resources and offers of assistance fo issues like this. (*Please note that the university does not moderate this group.*)

**AIRPORT SHUTTLE.** Lastly, for those students flying from Burlington International Airport (BTV), you may utilize Vermont Tour and Charter for BTV airport transportation needs: <https://vermonttourandcharter.com/norwich> (*There are no university shuttles to the Montpelier AMTRAK train/ bus station at the end of the semester.*)

## STUDENT SURVEYS FOR THE CAREER CENTER

**Want to give your graduate a shout-out on our official NU social media accounts and help them win some cool prizes?** Encourage them to complete the First Destination Survey! Federal law requires that universities provide certain information to current and prospective students. Much like you when you were looking at colleges with your graduate, prospective students and families looking at Norwich want to know what their opportunities will look like post-graduation. Additionally, the survey will help us provide resources and support to graduates still seeking employment or pursuing grad school. ***What is shared?*** Only anonymous compiled data for majors, colleges, and the overall university will be published. All personally identifiable information will be protected, and all salary data will be averaged. No data will be used for fundraising efforts.

If your graduate completes the survey, they will be entered to win one of the following items:

- NU Diploma Frame (\$150 value)
- Gift Card for Business Apparel (\$150 Value)
- NU Branded Padfolio
- Personalize Business Cards
- Gas Card

Please have your graduate contact the CIC at [careers@norwich.edu](mailto:careers@norwich.edu) or log onto Handshake and make your appointment for personalized assistance today! We can serve recent graduates for nine months post-graduation.

## NOTES FROM THE OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR

A student who plans to get ahead or caught up on coursework over the summer at another college must request permission to be a transient student and course pre-approval. The form is located on the internal Norwich Registrar's SharePoint site for student access.. Login is required.

A student who plans to graduate in December 2022, Spring 2023, or Summer 2023 is encouraged to conduct a course and credit hour audit using their online DegreeWorks degree audit via BannerWeb. Summer is an opportunity to get back on track to meet degree completion requirements and timelines, or to graduate early. The student's advisor or the Registrar's Office (802-485-2035) can answer questions if the student is uncertain.

## EVENTS ON AND OFF CAMPUS



There are many events happening on campus and off. Check out Norwich events happening around the country by viewing our [Event Calendar](#). Here's a sampling of upcoming events:



**The President's Inauguration Tour continues through May 13th.** This spring President Anarumo has been traveling the country to meet the Norwich family and share his vision for Norwich's third century. Join

us for the next events commemorating this special tour on May 12th & 13th on Long Island and in NYC. [Click here for more details and to register.](#)

**Calling High-School Cyber Sleuths! Have a HS student interested in getting involved in digital forensics?** Want to learn

how to defend against cyber attacks? At Norwich University's virtual week-long GenCyber Forensics pre-college program this summer, you will dive deep into the cyber-realm with tools used by police forces around the world through a series of gaming, modeling, and simulation activities.

Visit <https://www.norwich.edu/cyber/genCyber> to see last year's program lineup and get a hint of what 2022 will be like. New details, including 2022 dates, are coming soon.





**Calling all scholars! The Norwich University Peace & War Center is looking for its next Richard S. Schultz '60 Military Writers' Symposium fellow.**

Applications are due April 20th. Email [peaceandwar@norwich.edu](mailto:peaceandwar@norwich.edu) for the application. This fellowship provides \$2,500 for you to write, travel, create, research, or build on a topic related to the theme Robots Rising: The Weaponization of Artificial

Intelligence. The purpose of the Fellowship is to enable Norwich undergraduates from any academic discipline the opportunity to pursue areas of inquiry and experiences that will promote and expand their understanding of this year's Military Writers' Symposium Award. *The recipient will present the outcome of their work at the Military Writers' Symposium this October 12-13, 2022 at Norwich.*

**The 2022 Norwich University Military Writer's Symposium will take place on the Norwich University campus October 12th & 13th.** This year's theme is Robots Rising: The Weaponization of Artificial Intelligence. The NU Military Writers' Symposium is hosted by the John & Mary Frances Patton Peace and War Center. You can view details on the 2021 symposium and soon find more details on this year's program [here](#).



**Join us on May 20, 2022, for the Resilient Vermont Conference hosted by the Norwich Center for Global Security and Resilience.**

This year's theme is *Celebrating Resilience: Looking to the Past to Plan for the Future*. This event will bring together community leaders and groups working to celebrate and strengthen Vermont's resilience. This is a conference for Vermonters seeking to engage with each other, their communities, and the state at large through meaningful and interdisciplinary discussions and problem-solving. Join us for this one-day event as we look to the past to plan for our future. More information here:

<https://www.norwich.edu/cgrs/resilient-vermont/conference>



**Save the Date:  
Homecoming – September 15-18, 2022**

Homecoming 2022 is packed with special events that pay tribute to Norwich's traditions, celebrate our alumni, and bring the Norwich Family

together. This year we honor class years ending in 2 and 7 and celebrate the Class of 1972's entry into the Old Guard! We recommend you book your lodging soon to be near your classmates and class events.

If you're celebrating a reunion you can access your class-specific webpage here: [alumni.norwich.edu/Homecoming](https://alumni.norwich.edu/Homecoming).

**And last but not least...**  
**Save the date for the 2022 Family Weekend**  
**September 29 - October 2nd.**

*More details will be shared via email and on our webpage later this summer.*

## STAY CONNECTED

Remember, there are also many resources to stay in touch with Norwich throughout the school year!

[Corps of Cadets on Flickr](#)

[Norwich YouTube channel](#)

[Norwich Instagram](#)

[Norwich Twitter](#)

[Norwich Facebook](#)

[NU Families Facebook page](#)

[NU Families website](#)

[NU Events calendar](#)

[Counseling & Wellness Center](#)

[Academic Achievement Center](#)

[Center for Writing](#)



And you can always email our office at [mystudentis@norwich.edu](mailto:mystudentis@norwich.edu) too.



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