Dear New Paltz student,

Thank you to everyone who contributed in some way to International Education Week (October 12 - 16, 2020). We are always happy to hear your voices, see your faces, and celebrate you! While International Education Week is an opportunity to focus on the benefits of diversity, we must remember that diversity is not just about representation. Diversity is about creating an inclusive environment where everyone feels valued and respected.

We present the October 23, 2020 edition of the New Paltz News Hub. This week's edition includes a variety of articles and events, including the International Student Program's Virtual Library Book Display: Race in Halloween.

## Announcements and Reminders

- **International Student Programs**
  - **Virtual Library Book Display: Race in Halloween**
    - Event Date: Sunday, October 25 at 4:00 PM EDT
    - Description: This month's theme is Race in Halloween, and the display has been curated by Adrianna Martinez, the library liaison to International Student Programs. The display will feature a variety of books, podcasts, film recommendations, and more. You can check out the display [here](#).

- **SUNY New Paltz Halloween 2020**
  - **Spooky Mask Decorating**
    - Event Date: Friday, October 30 at 8:00 PM EDT
    - Description: Join us on Zoom to celebrate Halloween by decorating pumpkins using provided materials. You can [RSVP](#) and learn how to join.

- **International Student Union Videos**
  - **Hollaback: Stand Up Against Street Harassment**
    - Event Date: Wednesday, November 4 at 5:30 PM EDT
    - Description: The International Student Union contributed videos to International Education Week. This video focuses on how to stand up against street harassment. You can watch the video [here](#).

- **Visiting Artist: Pixy Liao**
  - **Meditations to Keep in Your Backpack**
    - Event Date: Sunday, November 1 at 4:00 PM EDT
    - Description: Visiting Artist Pixy Liao is giving a lecture about their artistic practice. This will include 45 minutes of presentations and 15 minutes of Q&A. You can [RSVP](#) to receive the Zoom link for this event.

- **Dream Workshop with Robyn Denofer**
  - **Dreams, Dreams, Dreams: What Dreams Are and How to Build a Lucid Dreaming Practice**
    - Event Date: Sunday, October 25 at 4:00 PM EDT
    - Description: Robyn Denofer will teach the basic theories of what dreams are and some of the techniques for exploring one's dream world. You can [RSVP](#) to receive the Zoom link for this event.

- **Heart: Wednesday, October 28th at 3pm**
  - **Good Impression by Using Body Language Correctly and Effectively**
    - Event Date: Wednesday, November 4 at 3:00 PM EDT
    - Description: This workshop will explore five key healthy heart habits you can incorporate into your routine to help improve your heart health. You can [RSVP](#) to receive the Zoom link for this event.

- **No announcements or reminders this week**

## Student Corner

- **Quote of the Day**
  - "Nothing is easy; you just have to do it."

- **Tip of the Day**
  - "If you have something you've written or created that you are proud of? We would love to know. Please send us an email with information on what you've created and we will do our best to promote it."

- **New Paltz News Hub**
  - "You can do your part to keep the New Paltz community safe and have fun celebrating Halloween safely. This show will be our first streamed performance, so that everyone could celebrate without leaving the comfort of their home."

## Events and Opportunities

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- **Student Affairs**
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- **International Student Programs**
  - "For any questions or concerns related to International Student Programs, please contact us at (914) 251-4813 or email us at internationalservices@newpaltz.edu."