STAY AWARE & STAY ACTIVE

Student Solidarity Rally | Musselman Library | March 1, 2017

Contact your representatives:

The library's "Civic Engagement" site (libguides.gettysburg.edu/civicengagement) has information about contacting your federal elected officials. The guide also features resources that can help you explore civic issues and gather research.

Stay on top of the news:

The library provides online access to the *New York Times* through the NYTimes Group Pass and *The Washington Post* provides free access to all users with .edu email addresses. If you need instructions or help signing up ask a library staff member.

Join a reading discussion:

The library offers two reading discussions each semester:

#GBCTalks is a book-based discussion program designed to facilitate conversation about difficult issues in the Gettysburg College community. This semester a group of faculty, staff, administrators, and students read *Americanah* by Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie. Next fall there will be a new book to discuss—watch for details.

You've Gotta Read This! First Year Book Discussion is another fun, easy opportunity to take a break from class reading and enjoy a new book with others. This semester's book is *Fun Home: A Family Tragicomic* by Alison Bechdel. The deadline to join the discussion is 3/10. To find out more and sign up: https://tinyurl.com/YGRT2017

Activism at Gettysburg College:

"What We Did Here: Activism at Gettysburg College" is a crowd-sourced digital collection that is devoted to documenting the discourse that has occurred on campus surrounding issues of race, gender, sexuality, political affiliation, religion, and class. Explore the collection to date: musselmanlibrary.org/activism/

Upload photos and other items from other events on that website.

LIBRARIES ARE FOR EVERYONE

Musselman Library Diversity and Inclusion Statement:

Musselman Library is committed to creating, through our learning spaces, programs, services, collections, and policies, an environment that supports, values, and respects everyone in the Gettysburg College community. At Gettysburg, diversity includes but is not limited to age, country of origin, disability, ethnicity, gender, gender identity or expression, geography, learning differences, political beliefs, race, religion, sexual orientation, and socioeconomic level.

We are working with purpose to:

- cultivate a safe, welcoming space and provide excellent service for all students, employees, community members, and visitors
- collect materials that represent a plurality of viewpoints
- strengthen discovery systems so that all viewpoints are findable
- facilitate diverse programs and exhibits that contribute to a positive campus climate
- enhance the intercultural competence of all library employees (including student employees) through ongoing learning opportunities
- improve diversity among library employees at all levels in order to create a more inclusive library experience for our users
- build partnerships and share information with campus offices and student groups that are committed to diversity and inclusion

