

HONORS CONGRESS

JANUARY GBM

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Meeting Agenda

- Treasurer Election
- Eboard
- Event Announcements
- Committees
- PIZZA

Treasurer Elections

Kristi Rivera

Experience

- Managed high school theatre department financials (shirt and poster sales)
- Social Committee Member during 1st two semesters at UCF
- 2024 HonCon Director of Social Affairs
 - Collaborated with 3 fellow officers and BHC to host Haunted House event
 - Managed over \$1,000 budget to hold large events (ex. Gatorland)



Ideas

- 1-on-1 financial meetings with officers
- Encourage use of storage unit & allow member donations of new/used items to be given new life at events (ex. decorations)
- Restructure treasury reports to increase readability
- Talk to student government about trip funding
- HonCon's 25th Birthday: collab with Membership! (merch & incentive giveaways)
- Honlumni Network!! → HonCon Alumni have expressed interest in donating; collab with Membership and Secretary to set up a method to reach out, update on club affairs, & receive these donations
 - Alumni as guest speakers (ex. medicine or law)

2024 Fall Treasury Report



2025 Fall Treasury Report



Treasurer Elections



Cole Cabanas | President

honorscongress+president@gmail.com | Mon 2:00PM - 3:00PM

Hi, I am Cole!

- 2nd year Mechanical Engineering major with a minor in Intelligent Robotic Systems
- I am an RA over at Hercules!
- Currently, I am building an RC Plane with AIAA, and I like to rollerblade around campus!
- Stop by my office hour anytime to chat!!!



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KNIGHTCONNECT

Events will go live at 9pm tonight!
Be ready to sign up for the
amazing events you are about to
see!

If you RSVP to an event please
make sure you are able to show
up, if something comes up make
sure to remove your RSVP and
message the director running that
event!



***if you are not in knight connect but should be
please reach out to me or Hailey!

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Suggestions? Where is the box?

Before I work on making this box, I want to make sure it is something you all would like to see, or if a digital form is preferred!

Please fill out this form to tell me what you would prefer!

Also on an unrelated note, we have hammocks that members can check out from an officer during their officer hour! Please return them by the next day!



Aidan Priore | Vice President

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- 2nd year Computer Science major with a digital media minor.
- Love movies, video games, comics, and select literature.
- Was a super cool TL last semester

Aidan Priore | Vice President

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DM Reminders

- Get DM points throughout events this semester.
- 3 DM points to be an active member
- 15 DM points to be a distinguished member

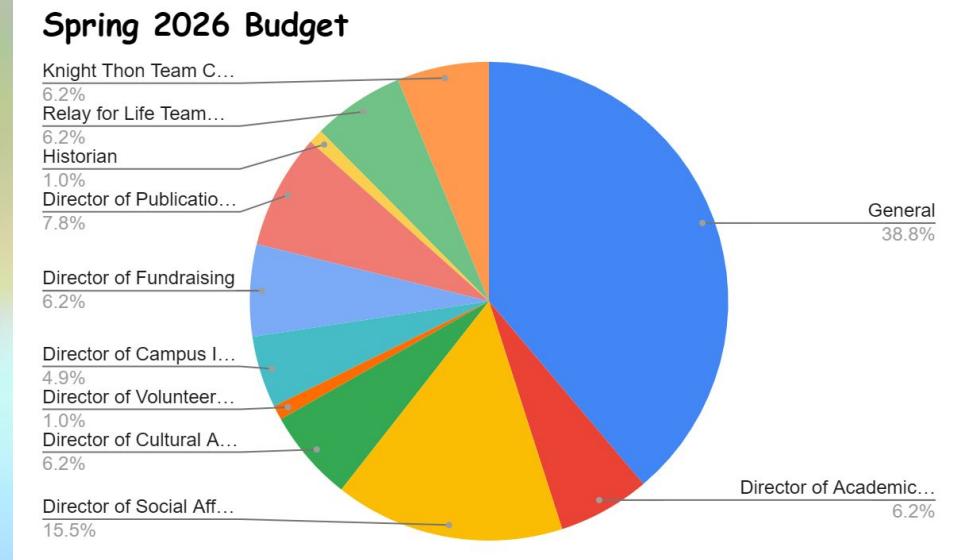
DM Event timeline

- February GBM we will be taking ideas for the DM event.
- March GBM we will be taking a vote for what the DM event will be.
- April the DM event will occur for fun times!

Kendall Owen | Interim Treasurer

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POSITION	BUDGET
General	\$2,000.00
Director of Academic Affairs	\$320.00
Director of Social Affairs	\$800.00
Director of Cultural Affairs	\$320.00
Director of Volunteer Affairs	\$50.00
Director of Campus Involvement	\$250.00
Director of Fundraising	\$320.00
Director of Publications and Marketing	\$400.00
Historian	\$50.00
Relay for Life Team Captain	\$320.00
Knight Thon Team Captain	\$320.00
TOTAL	\$5,150.00



Kendall Owen | Secretary

honorscongress+secretary@gmail.com | Mon 12:00PM - 1:00PM

Quick Facts:

- 3rd Year Psychology Major (Neuroscience Track)
- Research, Dancer (and dance teacher)
- Super excited for this year!



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THE COURIER!!!

- Member-exclusive weekly newsletter
 - Reminders
 - Leadership opportunities
 - Upcoming HonCon events
- If you are unable to see the email, please check your spam folder and mark the sender as "Not Spam"
- If the issue still exists, try re-subscribing on our website



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SPRING 2026 COMMITTEES!! (yippie)

- 10 amazing directors to choose from!
- Leadership experience
- Planning and hosting events
- Applications open tonight on KNIGHTCONNECT at 9:00PM
- Applications close SATURDAY Jan. 17th at 11:59PM
- Interviews: Monday, Jan. 19th 10:00am-12:00pm at the BHC



Hailey Scheinman | Membership Coordinator

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Hi! I'm Hailey!



- **Junior Nonprofit Management Major (Psychology & Public Admin. Minors)**
- **Deans' Leadership Council Member**
- **Events and Outreach Contractor For Young Adults with Epilepsy**
- **I love painting, comics, music, tea, animation, and our amazing HonCon members!**

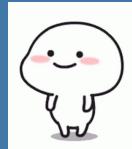
Hailey Scheinman | Membership Coordinator

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- **Hoodie Preorders are on the way!**

Interested in ordering merch?

- Order in person during an office hour or visit SHOP on our website!
 - Cash only if ordering in person
 - You will get an verification email from me within 48 hours of your purchase
- Once you receive an email to pick up merch, check our new office hours to stop by to receive it
 - Also applies to member shirts!

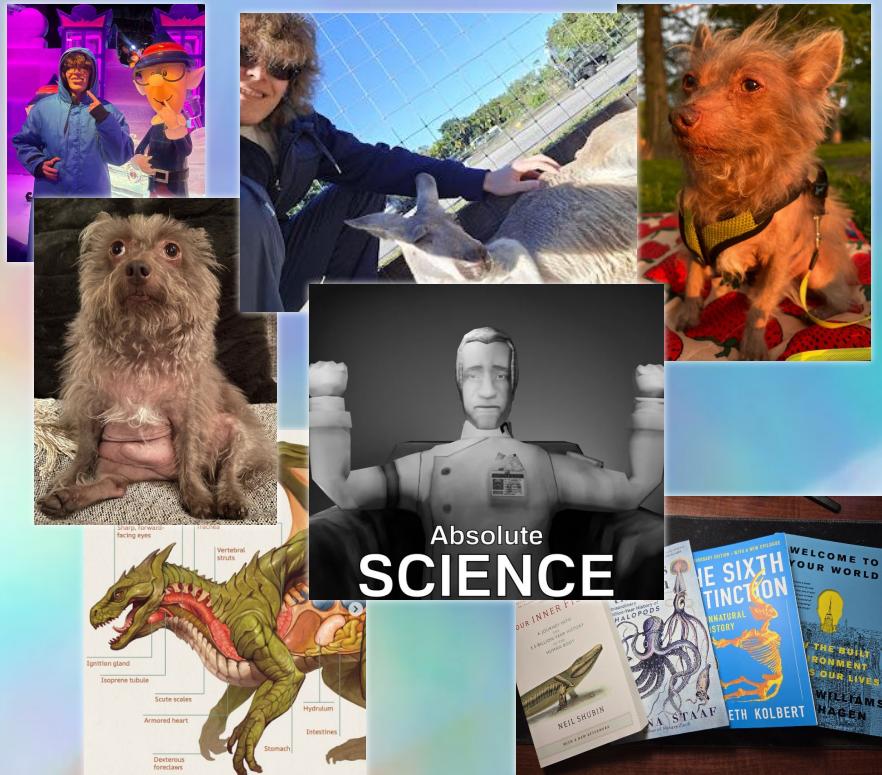




Connor Mimnaugh | Academic Affairs

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- Mechanical Engineering - 2nd year
 - Physics minor
- Undergraduate Research
 - Electric fish sensory ecology
 - Concrete 3D printing
- Stuff I like rn:
 - Abiotic Factor
 - Science-y books
 - TED





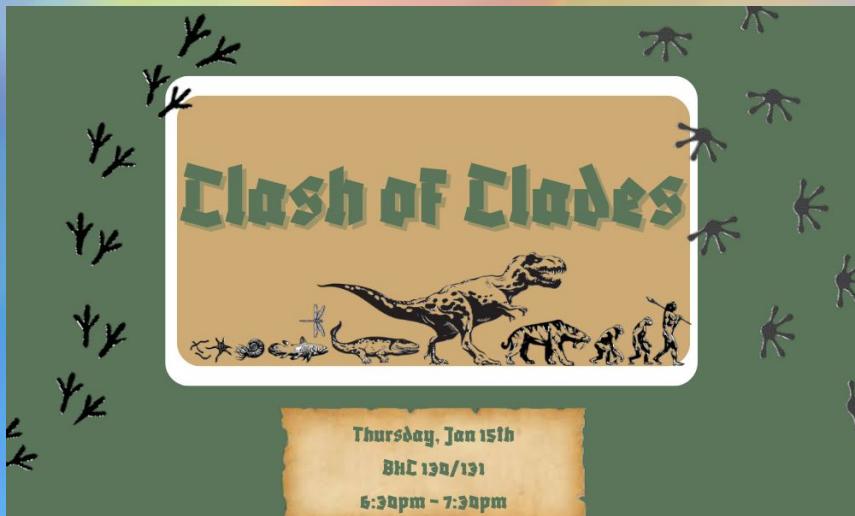
Academic Committee!



- Help setup and run nerdy events (decorations, room organization, run stations)
- Make an event at the end of the semester!
- If you like to learn stuff and, more importantly, share cool things you know... this committee would be great for you!

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Mentors



Mentees

John Patton | Social Affairs

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- Biomedical Sciences Major- 2nd Year
 - Psychology Minor
- Involvement: Pediatric E.R. Shadow
- Interests???
 - Sports (especially USA football)
 - Movies & TV
 - BALATRO !!!
 - Most of all, Orlando!



Social Committee!

- Help plan events and make your own at the end of the semester (old news)
- Make your interests known!
- Help Brainstorm things to do all around the city!
- GO all around the city of Orlando with friends (old AND new)!
- See what makes this city so great!

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1 DM Point for attending



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Michael Zmed | Cultural Affairs

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- “3rd year” “Industrial” “Engineer”
- Things I like:
 - Retro LEGO
 - D&D
 - Gnomes
 - Movies longer than 3 hours
 - Movies shorter than 3 hours
 - You <3



Cultural Committee!

- Please help me yap about cultures both ancient and modern.
- I beg of you, help me prepare meals from across time and space.
- I have been given a circus, and I need clowns by my side.



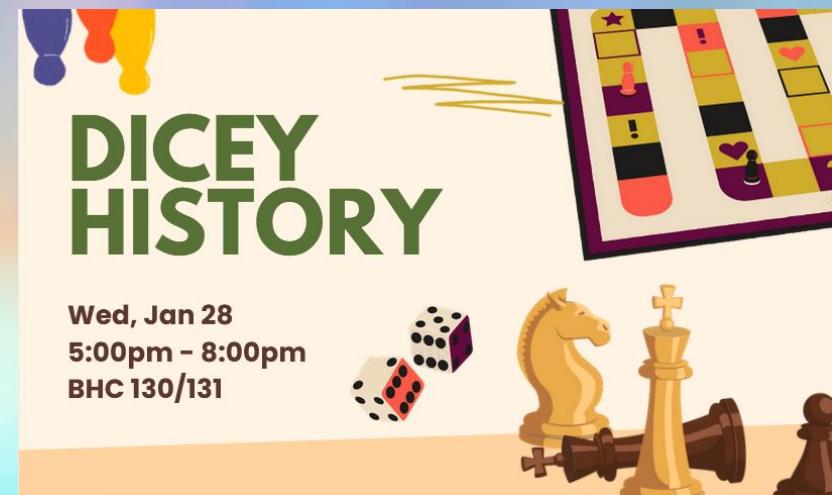
This could be us

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Brianna Rick | Volunteer Affairs

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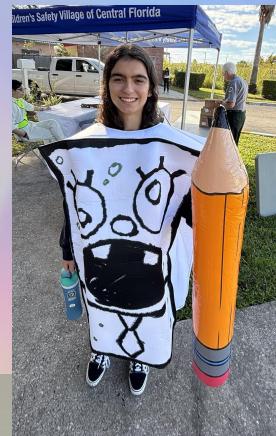
Year: Sophomore

Major: Mechanical Engineering

- CS + Robotics minors

Involvement:

- Undergraduate research (shock tube)
- ASME, SHPE, SWE



Volunteer Committee!

- **Get involved with the local community**
- **Make a positive impact!**
- **Get to know Orlando**

Brianna Rick | Volunteer Affairs

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1 DM point for 2 snack packs
2 DM points for 4 snack packs



1 DM point

Noah Schramm | Campus Involvement

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Hello everyone! I am excited to be your Campus Involvement director for 2026!

About me:

- Second-year History Major, Education Minor
- Other Involvement: Tubanauts, Video Game Music Ensemble



Campus Involvement Committee!

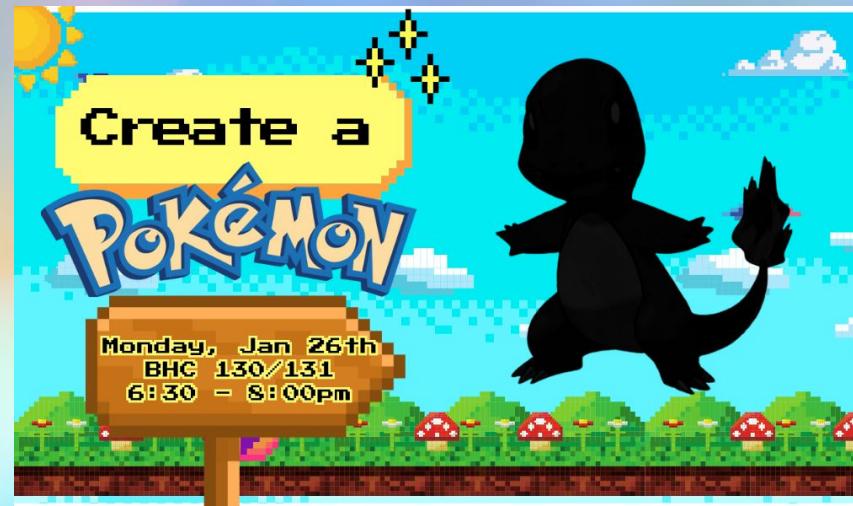
- Plan events that take place on campus or feature locations around campus
- Plan a committee event with your fellow committee members
(It'll be the best one but don't tell the other committees)
- Work with your favorite director (me)

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Angelina Summers | Fundraising

honorscongress+fundraising@gmail.com | Fri 9:30AM - 10:30AM

- Education
 - Psychology, clinical track - 2nd year
 - *Etc. etc.*
- Involvement
 - ALA Clinical Psychology Intern & Aftercare Coordinator
 - ASL I Undergraduate Learning Assistant
 - Gideon's Closet Non-Profit Volunteer
 - Psychological Perspectives of WWII in Europe
- Free Time (*literally never*)
 - Audiobooks, reading, cooking, reworking my entire life at 2am, movies & TV (THE ROOKIE!)



Fundraising Committee!

- Be a part of fundraising toward important organizations to help local issues and various causes
- Have input on choice of fundraising recipients
- Contribute ideas and creative feedback throughout the semester
- Plan a committee event at the end of the semester!

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1 DM point for donating \$3



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Hasita Kode | Publications and Marketing

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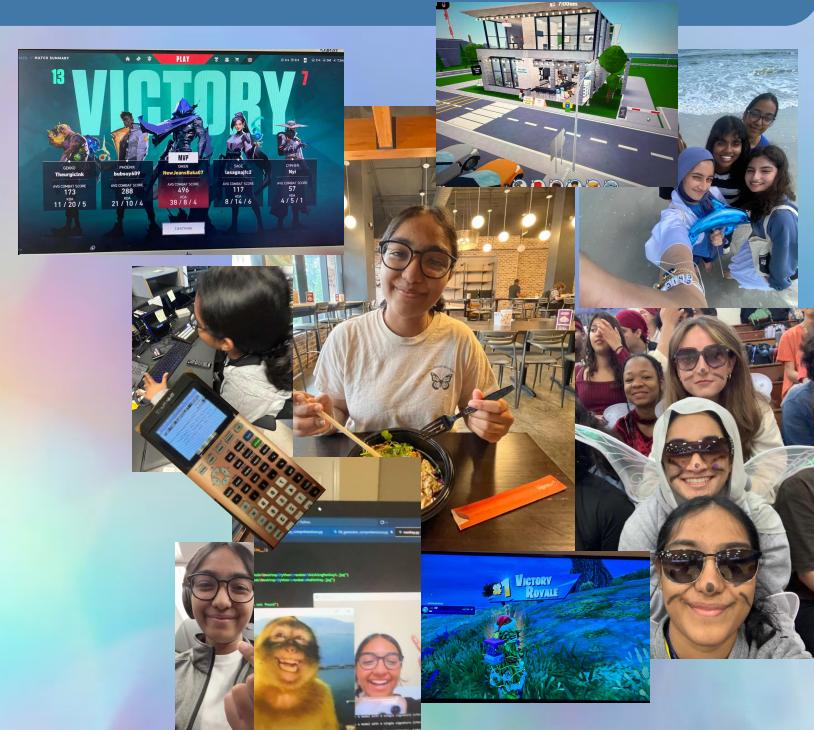
**First Year Computer Science
Major**

Involvements: GWC, SWE, WEECS

**Previously worked on Morning
Show**

Previous RA at Local Eye Clinic

**Interests: Walking, Math, Playing
Video Games, Building fun
Projects, watching F1 and cricket.**



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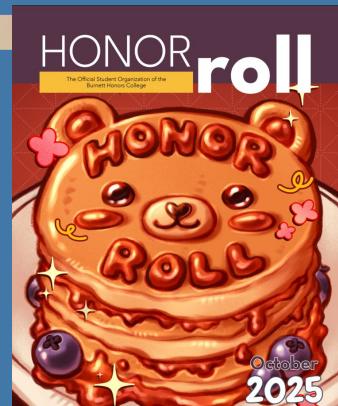
No Events :(

**BUT YOU GET TO WORK ON
THE HONOR ROLL!!!!!!**

You get to:

- Create and produce content
- Brainstorm creative themes
- Make content for the HonCon Social Media

If you are dedicated, creative, and are interested in writing, art, graphic design or other related fields.. Join me :D



Creative Corner!



Alexa Garmise-Goodwin | Historian

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- Marketing major - 1st year
 - ◆ Hospitality Management & Theme Park and Attraction management minors
- Work at Medieval Times Myrtle Beach Castle
- FNAF expert
- Reading enthusiast (fav book is Orbiting Jupiter)
- Professional cooking show judge



Historian Committee!

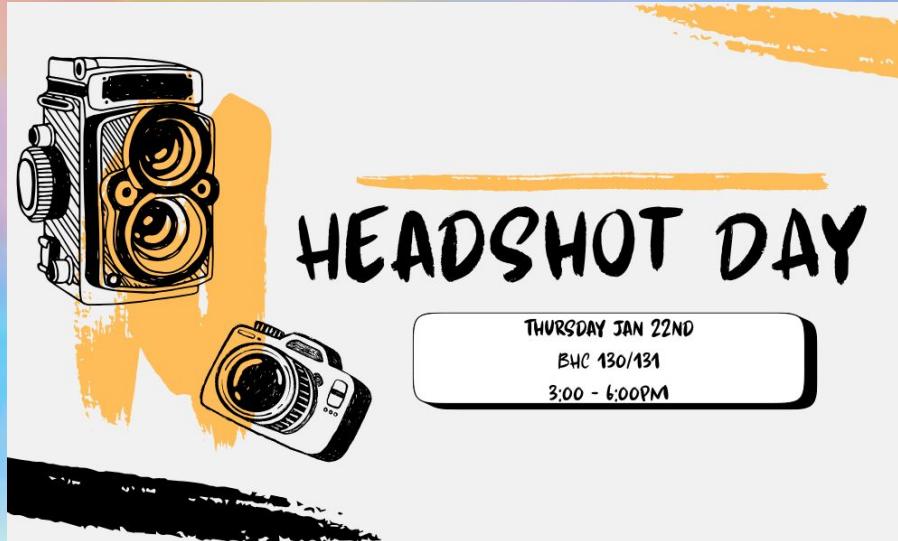


Why join?

- Take photos, videos, and reels at events
- Serve as cooking show judges!!!
- Make HonCon meme content and hilarious reels
- If you like social media, photography, and a fun time you'll love it here

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1 DM point for \$3 Relay For Life donation

Wyatt Hicks | Relay for Life Team Captain

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- Who am I?
 - I will be your 2026 R4L Director!
- About me:
 - 1st Year Finance
 - Hobbies
 - Personal connection to Relay for Life



Relay for Life Team!

- **What is Relay for Life?**
 - Teams walk/run laps to raise funds to fight cancer
 - Organization promotes cancer awareness
- **How can I get involved?**
 - Scan the QR code and join the relay! Earn 2 DM points and make a difference.
- **What about the committee?**
 - The RFL committee raises funds for Relay for Life.
 - We host fun get-togethers, sell goodies, and more!
 - We also table during our Main Event to bring more interest to our cause.

Relay for Life Team!



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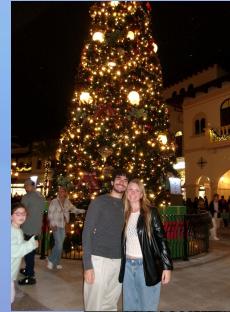
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Mallorie Simpson | Knight-Thon Team Captain

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About Me!

- Sophomore Accounting major w/ Math minor
- BHC Computer Lab Assistant
- Honors Symposium Team Leader
- Distinguished Member Fall 2024 and Spring 2025; Member of the Month Fall 2025



Knight - Thon Team!

Committee Member Expectations:

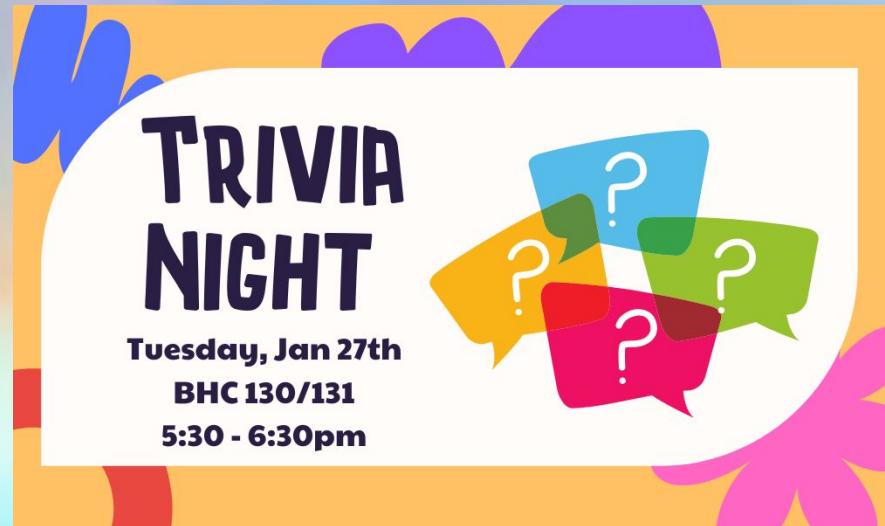
- All duties required from regular committees
- Attend Tabling events for KT (KT RSO Week February 9-13th)
- Assist at both KT outside events and HonCon events
- Assist and help lead the KT Team at Main Event (12 hour event April 11th)



★ **@honorscongress** is here taking on the challenge ★

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NEXT GBM
Feb. 2nd