Rho Chi IPC Tips
Rho Chi PY3 members gave a presentation to interested PY2 learners regarding what to expect in IPCs and tips for the IPC modules. The Rho Chi members gave tips about how to study and what worked best for them to be successful in their IPC’s.

AZO APPE Panel
AZO held an APPE panel for students to ask questions to current P4 students about APPE’s. The event was open to all students in the College of Pharmacy to attend and ask whatever questions they may have had.

AZO’s Souper Bowl Food Drive
AZO fraters collected canned food items for donation to the Food Bank of Western Massachusetts.

AZO-ASP Candy Grams
In the Valentine Day spirit, APhA’s operation diabetes sold candy grams consisting of sugar free lollipops where students could write a message on them and were delivered on February 14th.

AIHPSA Movie Night
AIHPSA members hosted a movie night showing Murphy’s Romance on February 5th.

PDC Taco Night
PDC brothers held a taco night at the Ronald McDonald House in Springfield, MA on January 26th.

ACCP Guidelines Tips and Tricks
To help students learn how use guidelines most effectively, ACCP members held a session for students where they talked about how to read and pull pertinent information from clinical practice guidelines. They brought up examples of easy to use and challenging guidelines to help students prepare to use current guidelines to provide evidence based medicine.

AZO Kiss Away Cancer and Give Cancer the Boot
AZO members collected money and spread awareness for the Lustgarten foundation, which is a foundation that raises money for pancreatic research. Students that donated were able to sign their name on an emoji that was hung up on the mock pharmacy in CSP. Fraters also collected donations at a basketball game where they had a table set up and walked around the venue collecting money in a boot.
**APhA-ASP Mock Counseling Sessions**
APhA offered mock counseling sessions to all COPHS students. Students received a counseling rubric and was able to self-critique themselves based on their video recording. They also offered peer review and feedback if requested.

**PDC Member Induction**
PDC inducted new members into the Phi Delta Chi Brotherhood on February 15th.

**ASHP/SSHP Pre-Pharmacy Meet & Greet with Clinical Professors**
Pre-pharmacy students were given the opportunity to meet with clinical professors from the COPHS and answer any questions they had that related to the profession all while enjoying pizza.

**AZO Stainless Steel Fundraiser**
AZO sold stainless steel reusable straws to students in the college of pharmacy as well as all students at Western New England University.

**ACCP/APhA OTC Quiz Bowl**
APhA-ASP and ACCP-SCCP collaborated to host a quiz-bowl style event where students joined teams and worked together to answer questions about OTC medications and self-care topics. It serviced as practice for first year pharmacy students currently taking self-care therapeutics as well as a refresher for second and third year pharmacy students.

**ACCP Cardiology Journal Club Event**
ACCP-SCCP hosted a journal club discussion on the landmark trial TOPCAT. The focus was to help WNE COPHS students become more familiar with critically assessing primary literature and how to approach working through a journal club.

**APhA-ASP Tai Chi with Dr. Kinney**
Students joined Dr. Kinney in the mock pharmacy during lunch for a session of Tai Chi to help reduce stress and promote mindfulness.

**APhA-ASP Pneumonia Vaccination Awareness at Walgreens**
Student pharmacists of APhA went to Walgreens on Carew St in Springfield, MA to promote awareness of pneumonia vaccinations. Dr. Victoria Kleszczynski was the preceptor at the event.

**ACCP and APhA Cardiac Jeopardy**
In recognition of American Heart Month, ACCP and APhA’s operation heart hosted a cardiac jeopardy that was open to all members of the College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences.

**The Class of 2020 Panera Night**
As a fundraiser for the class of 2020, students were invited to attend a Panera night at the restaurant in East Longmeadow, MA to raise funds for their class.
APhA-ASP Generation Rx Medication Safety Event
APhA members went to Stop & Shop in Boston Rd in Springfield, MA to educate the community about the safe disposal of unused and expired drugs within the surrounding communities. This was conducted through a poster explaining the importance of proper medication disposal and examples of ways to safely dispose of old medications. The event preceptor was Jess Dubois.

Class of 2021 Sweatshirt Fundraiser
The Class of 2021 sold sweatshirts to raise funds for their class.

APhA Name Badge Fundraiser
APhA sold magnetic name badges that were the exact ones purchased through the school, but they instead were magnetic instead of the pin. Students were also able to convert their old name badge with a pin to a magnetic badge.

Organization of the Month
Congratulations, AZO!
AZO raised over $700 for the Lustgarten foundation.
Keep up the great work!

UPCOMING EVENTS
***Check for exact times and locations in the PSGA Kodiak calendar***

- IPhO Speaker, Janine Fournier, from MSL – March 8th
- APhA Pneumonia Vaccine Education at Walgreens – March 9th
- ACCP Handwashing and Hockey at the Thunderbirds game – March 9th
- Rho Chi Brown Bag Event at Pleasant View – March 11th
- LKS Contraceptive Methods table – March 11th -15th
- Spring break!! – March 18-22