

## *DU Parent & Family Newsletter*

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### Pioneers advance to Frozen Four!

On Sunday, March 26, the Pioneers defeated the Penn State Nittany Lions in the championship game of the NCAA tournament's Midwest Regional in Cincinnati, securing a berth in the Frozen Four. Read the latest article in the [DU Newsroom](#).



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### Upcoming Important Dates

*April and May - [Career Services events](#)*

*Sunday, April 2 - Last day for 100% refund for dropped classes*

*Friday, April 14 - Insurance waiver deadline*

*Saturday, April 15 - Spring Parents Council Meeting*

*Monday, April 17 - Registration for Summer 2017 begins*

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### Congratulations 2017 Graduates!

DU spring undergraduate commencement is Saturday, June 10 at 9:30am in Magness Arena. Students have received some information about the ceremony but there is more to come. If you would like to read about the ceremonies, get more information, or watch a video from last year, visit our commencement website [www.du.edu/commencement](http://www.du.edu/commencement).

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## Parents-Calling-Parents Program

This is a volunteer activity with the goal of connecting the existing DU parent community with our new families by reaching out over the phone and giving them a welcoming message. We want to know if you feel this is a valuable activity or if you have another opinion about this type of outreach. Please follow [this link](#) to give us your opinion on implementing the Parents Calling Parents program.

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## Travel the World with Summer Interterm - June 2017

From learning developmental trajectories in modern Brazil to studying photography in Sweden & Finland. Summer Interterm can be a once in a lifetime learning opportunity. Register Now!



## **Listing of Summer Interterm Courses**

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## April Photo of The Month Competition!

*Post photos on the [DU Parents Facebook Group](#) of your student or your family showing off your DU pride, using #DUpotm as the photo caption. We will choose a winner by April 10th. Winners will be chosen by the number of "likes" so keep watching our page and liking your favorites. Win a spot in the Parent & Family Calendar at the end of the year!*

*\*\*by submitting photos on the DU Parents Facebook Group, you agree to our DU photo release and your photos may be used in future publications*

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## *Careers with a Cause* networking event

Join us on April 19 to help DU students explore possible career paths through our Careers with a Cause, Career Industry Networking event.

This interactive career education event brings together undergraduate and graduate students from all areas of study with alumni and professionals who work in nonprofits, human and social services, healthcare, sustainability, government and more.

Parents who work in these industries are invited to share career path stories, find mentees, build your network, and learn best practices from each other.

This event will be April 19 in the Driscoll Ballroom and Gallery at 2055 E. Evans Avenue on the DU campus, 4:00 - 5:30pm.

Please RSVP to [hire@du.edu](mailto:hire@du.edu) by Monday, April 10.

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## Passover Seder at the DU Hillel House

Come celebrate Passover together with DU Hillel and Chabad on Campus.

Monday, April 10, 2017 at 7:00 PM at 2390 South Race Street, Denver CO 80210

RSVP by 4/9/17 at [www.DUHillel.org](http://www.DUHillel.org)

**WE ARE ASKING YOU TO BRING 2-3 NON-PERISHABLE FOOD ITEMS TO DONATE TO A LOCAL SHELTER.** We are hoping to collect over 150 lbs of food!!

Your meal will be underwritten if you register before Friday April 7, but will cost \$15 at the door or after the deadline.

### **Passover Meals**

During the week of Passover, Hillel will be offering Kosher for Passover lunches between 11:30 am -1 pm on the porch of the Anderson Academic Commons or in the cafe if it is raining. The DU Chabad house will be hosting Passover dinners and lunch on Saturday April 15 and Sunday April 16.

Note: All Hillel programs and Shabbat Dinners that fall during Passover will have Kosher for Passover food.

If you have any questions please contact Jamie Skog, the DU Hillel Campus Director at [jamie@hillelcolorado.org](mailto:jamie@hillelcolorado.org)

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## Student Health Insurance

The Spring Health Insurance Plan (SHIP) “waiver” deadline is approaching fast! Please be certain your student has “waived” it before April 14, 2017. To “waive” participation:

- Login to Pioneerweb
- Go to student tab
- Go to registration
- Select “accept/waive student health insurance plan”

Questions? [info@hcc.du.edu](mailto:info@hcc.du.edu) or 303-871-2205 (press 1)

Studying abroad in fall? Many programs have required health forms. The Health Center on campus can complete these and administer all necessary vaccinations. Make an appointment as soon as possible, online [www.du.edu/duhealth](http://www.du.edu/duhealth) or call 303-871-2205 (press 1).

For newly admitted DU students:

Welcome to DU and your student Health & Counseling Center! We look forward to maintaining your good health through the next few years. During Orientation you will learn more about our services, but in the meantime please feel free to checkout our website [www.du.edu/duhealth](http://www.du.edu/duhealth)

Next Moves: Send us a copy of your immunizations, or complete the Certificate of Immunization form for college students that is sent to you. Colorado requires 2 doses of MMR, administered 28 days or more apart, with the first shot given not sooner than 4 days before age one. DU also requires Meningococcal (meningitis, not B) vaccine given within 5 years for those living in dorms or other on-campus housing. Questions? [info@hcc.du.edu](mailto:info@hcc.du.edu) or 303-871-2205 (press 1)

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## Thinking about Summer Storage options?

K&N Storage and College Student Storage are the two companies DU students have used most. Here are a couple of articles about their services.



### ***K&N Storage is now Ruumy***

While attending the University of Denver, we recognized that study abroad programs, summer breaks, gaps between quarters, and cramped living environments were among the many reasons why students desired a safe and secure option to store their personal belongings.

Unfortunately, we found there was no straightforward and all-inclusive solution. As a result, we developed an innovative and dynamic approach that offers flexible pricing, valet pick-up and delivery, and timely scheduling to take the student's effort out of their storage needs.

Since 2011, K&N Storage Company has been designing and delivering custom storage solutions to the greater Denver area and we are excited to announce that we have recently re-branded our student storage subsidiary to Ruumy (pronounced Roomie).

Since embarking into the storage business, we have discovered that students are unique in their needs for storage and require a more all-encompassing service. Ruumy is exactly that—a one stop shop for your student's storage needs. Although we have re-branded and repackaged our product and services for students specifically; we will still be operating in partnership with K&N Storage Company.

Please visit [www.getruumy.com](http://www.getruumy.com) or email us at [store@getruumy.com](mailto:store@getruumy.com) and we will have the appropriate team member get back with the answers to your questions. We look forward to serving your storage needs!

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### *College Student Storage (CSS)*

Do you need help moving your son or daughter out of their residence over the summer break? College Student Storage can help you. We offer door to door summer storage, car storage, shipping, moving, and repacking services. We deliver boxes (3 different sizes), tape, poster tube, and labels ahead of time to all signed up students. We can store or ship anything. It doesn't have to go in a box. We pick up storage items anywhere, on or off campus, store them for the summer (or longer if your student is going abroad) in our climate controlled warehouse and then re-deliver everything to their new residence when they return to school.

Parents, we can save you a lot of time and money. You'll need to take time off work, travel cost on airfare, car rentals, hotel cost, food cost, buying packing supplies, plus a lot more. Also don't forget you'll have to do this same process again in September when school starts back up. CSS is locally owned and operated, licensed and insured, and been in for business 21 years here in Colorado and average storing 1500 college students every year. Let us help you out. Sign up today at [csstorage.com](http://csstorage.com) or give us a call 303-545-9525.

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DU Parents Facebook Group, a private online community where parents can ask questions and share advice. To join, go to <https://www.facebook.com/groups/UniversityofDenverParents/>

Check out current events in the [DU Newsroom](#).

### *Parent & Family Engagement*

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