Global Tufts Month: Who Gets to Belong in the Just and Sustainable Society?

The Hebrew Program at Tufts presents a talk with one of Israel's most celebrated novelists, Meir Shalev. Shalev is the keynote speaker for "The Unreliable Storyteller: Narratives in Memoir and Fiction," which will take place on April 6.

Submit your work now to be a part of our virtual event series that runs from April 5 to April 9. The theme is "Our Selves." Submissions are due by March 19.

April will bring the 10th annual Tufts Women's Center Symposium on Gender & Culture. This year's symposium will be held virtually from April 5 to April 8.

The anniversary of the birth of the founder of the Zoroastrian faith.

Tradition: Islam

Friday, 3.26.2021
The seventh greatest festival, "New Day" is the first day of the Zoroastrian/Persian and Baha'i New Year. It falls on the spring equinox and symbolizes the renewal of the world after the winter. For Zoroastrians, Naw Ruz also marks the official start of spring. It is a time of happiness and spiritual regeneration.

Wednesday, 3.24.2021
Islam marks the anniversary of the birth of the Prophet Muhammad (pbuh). It is celebrated by Muslims worldwide as the birth of the Islamic faith. Muslims celebrate the Prophet Muhammad's birthday with various activities, including prayers, recitation of the Quran, and community gatherings.

Sunday, April 4, 5:00 p.m - 6:00 p.m. ET
Join the Hindu Student Council and TASA to celebrate Holi. Holi is the festival of colors and welcomes the joys of spring. Enjoy some food, a donation drive, and music on Zoom.

Tufts MSA is working hard to make sure everyone is able to enjoy their Ramadan this semester the most as well. Plans are automatically eligible for suhoor / sehri kits via Tufts Dining. Ramadan Kits are a separate grab'n'go option available to all students. If any student has any questions, concerns or requires guidance on how to celebrate Passover on campus this year, please contact us.

Passover begins at sundown on March 27 and ends the evening of April 4. Passover Seder meals and services will be held virtually. Please reach out if you need one-on-one conversation starters in advance and Grubhub gift cards will be provided over email. All are welcome and invited.

In Orthodox churches, the first day of Lent marks the beginning of the Great Fast, the final six weeks of a 10-week period of spiritual preparation and regeneration for the new year ahead. For Orthodox Christians, Lent is a time of penance and prayer, during which adherents abstain from meat, dairy, eggs, and other forbidden foods.

A designated 19-day period of fasting each year immediately before the Bahá'í New Year. The fasting is seen as a time of spiritual preparation for the new year. It begins on the 19th day of the Bahá'í month of Dávrúd and ends on the 19th day of the Bahá'í month of Náiná.

If you have an idea for how University Chaplaincy programming can better serve you, please contact the program manager. You can find more information about our many weekly gatherings and student group meetings on our University Chaplaincy website.

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Register for the event here.

This event is sponsored by the Tufts Judaic Studies Program and AEN Partner Programs.

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The Humanist Community at Tufts will be hosting a Death Cafe for members of the Tufts community. What do you believe happens after death? Does it matter? Would you want to know how or when you're going to die? The Death Cafe will be held on April 7 at 2:30 p.m ET.

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Hope and Healing After A Tumultuous Year.

We are marking the one-year anniversary of Tufts' campus closure due to the COVID-19 pandemic. As we commemorate this moment together, we also acknowledge the ongoing challenges and uncertainties that many still face.

Thank you to the students, staff, and faculty who have worked tirelessly to support our community during this time.

And finally, a reminder that the 

Priority Deadline: Wednesday, March 24

for the Chaplaincy Innovation Lab. Information on the Chaplaincy Innovation Lab can be found on the Chaplaincy Innovation Lab website. You can register for the Russell Lecture here.

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