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# **GW Mount Vernon Campus Quarterly Meeting**

Virtual Meeting  
*January 22, 2026 – 7:00 pm*

# Agenda

- 1. Introductions**
- 2. Spring Semester Updates**
  - Important Dates, Public Safety, & Community Benefits**
- 3. MVC activities**
- 4. Construction Management & Campus Planning Updates**
- 5. Community Forum**
- 6. Important Online Links**
- 7. Next Meeting Date & GW Staff Contact Information**

# Spring Semester Important Dates



First Day of Classes	Monday, January 12, 2026
Martin Luther King Day (no classes)	Monday, January 19, 2026
Presidents' Day (no classes)	Monday, February 16, 2026
Spring Break (no classes)	Monday, March 9 - Saturday, March 14, 2026
Last Day of Classes	Monday, April 27, 2026
Make-Up Day	Tuesday, April 28, 2026
Designated Monday	Wednesday, April 29, 2026
Reading Days	Thursday, April 30 - Friday, May 1, 2026
Final Exams	Saturday, May 2 - Friday, May 8, 2026
Commencement Weekend	Thursday, May 14 - Sunday, May 17, 2026
Spring Degree Conferral	Sunday, May 17, 2026

# Campus Safety Update



- Patrols GW Campuses 24/7, 365 days
- Enforces DC Laws, Federal Statutes, and University Policies
- Review patrol tactics as the campus plan develops

## Staffing

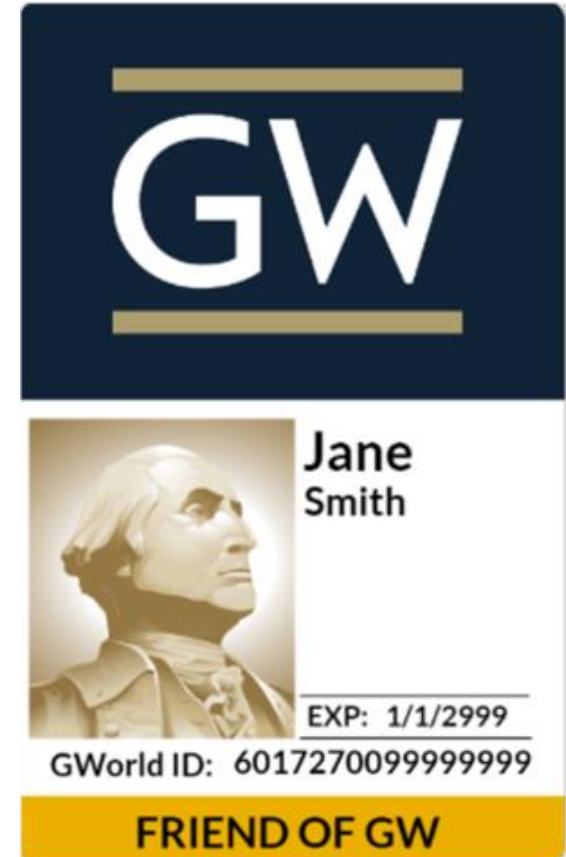
- 54 members with police authority
- 9 dispatcher/call takers
- Currently at 78% staffing level

# Community Benefits Update

## Friends of GW GWorld Card Program

- Community members can apply in person at the GWorld Card Office (800 21st St NW, G05) with a **valid D.C.- issued Driver License or D.C.-Issued ID Card**.
- Residents who do not have a D.C.- issued Driver's License or D.C.-Issued ID Card can **submit a utility (electric, gas, water, cable) bill, no more than 1 month old, as proof of residency** through our online authorization portal.
- Approved community members can then visit the GWorld office to pay, take their photo, and pick up their Friends of GW Card. **Community members must bring a state-issued ID for verification at the time of the card pick-up.**

For more information on the program and to access the online authorization portal, neighbors can visit our website: [neighborhood.gwu.edu](http://neighborhood.gwu.edu).



# MVC Updates

- Spring semester is underway and the campus is bustling with students and activities. An upcoming highlight is our Lunar New Year celebration on February 17th.
- Black Box Theater shows this semester include Mamma Mia, The Frogs, Hurricane Diane, Next to Normal and more!
- The Vern has multiple buildings available for rental for conferences and special events. The Hand Chapel, Post Hall, and conference rooms in West Hall are particularly popular.
- The campus also hosts small camps here in the summers – spread the word!
- We are excited to be opening a Textile Makerspace on campus later this spring and will be taking donations of textiles, yarn, and equipment.
- Reminder that the Buff and Brew is an excellent nearby coffee alternative, open 7:30 – 4:30 on the weekdays and until 11:30 on weekends

# Campus Development

- **No updates**

# Community Forum

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# **Next Qtr MVC Meeting**

**March 2026**

# Important Online Resources

**Newsletter Signup:** [neighborhood.gwu.edu/mount-vernon-neighbors](https://neighborhood.gwu.edu/mount-vernon-neighbors)

**Online Reporting Tool:** [go.gwu.edu/onlinepublicreport](https://go.gwu.edu/onlinepublicreport)

# Contact Us

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