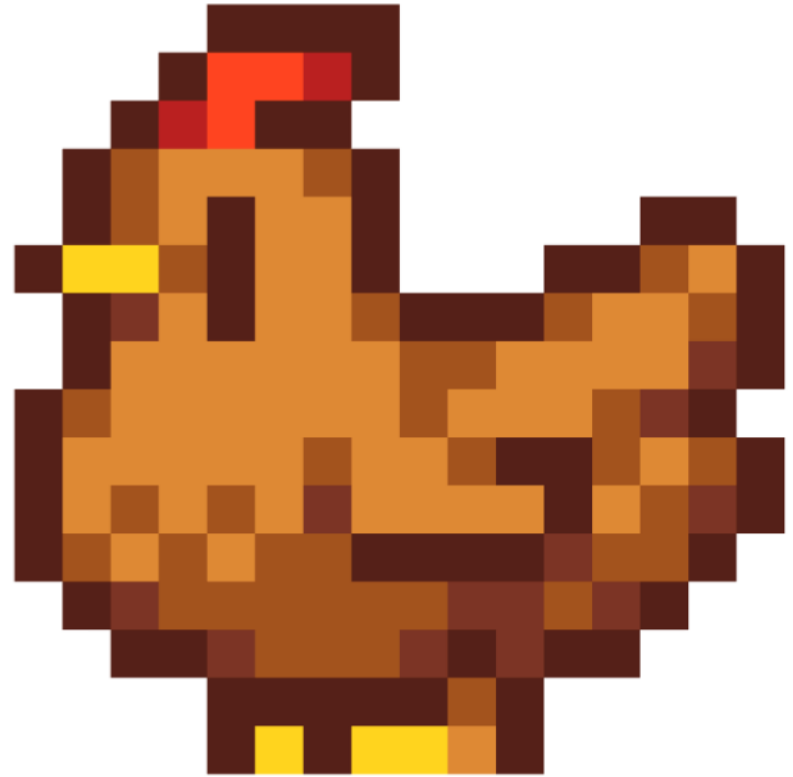


When you come in...

1. Write your preferred first name on a slip of paper.
2. And your apartment number on the back.
3. Sit next to someone you haven't met yet.



Welcome to Harrison!

4th Floor Community Meeting

8/24/2026

Welcome!

Turn to someone new and introduce yourself:

1. Name
2. Year and Program/School
3. One class you are most (or least!) looking forward to this semester and why



My Role as a GRA

1. Connect students with the broader community
2. Help you get the most out of Harrison
3. Not the *Fun Police* but am a mandatory reporter



Policies, Safety, and Security

0. Review the residential handbook!

1. Furniture needs to remain in rooms.

2. Medical Amnesty Policy

No student will be subject to university discipline for seeking medical treatment for the effects of drug or alcohol use, and this amnesty will be granted to both the intoxicated student and the student seeking help for an intoxicated student.

3. To report medical amnesty, call campus safety at 215-573-3333

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Fire Safety

1. Absolutely no open flames of any kind in rooms.
2. The fire alarms in your rooms are different from the ones in the hallways.
3. If there is a whole-building fire alarm, listen to the verbal instructions.
4. You can wait in the stairwells if not told to leave the building.
5. If an evacuation is ordered, leave through the bottom of the stairwells.
6. Penn Emergency Number: **215-573-3333**

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Community Expectations

1. What do you want your new community to be like this year?
 1. Think, pair, share
 2. i.e. greet one another, programming ideas, etc.



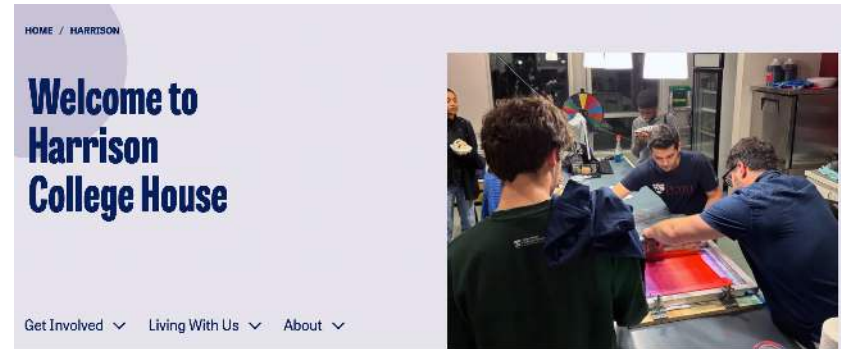
House-Specific Information

1. House Values

- Curiosity, Inclusion, Service, Wellness
- Each month, house programming focuses on a value

2. House Amenities

- Sky Lounge and Floor Lounges
- Fitness Room
- Music Practice Rooms
- Library and Study Rooms
- Laundry Rooms every other Floor



Upcoming Events



FDOC Ice Cream

Interested in participating in Panhellenic recruitment this fall? Stop by the ice cream truck outside of Harrison College House to celebrate the first day of class and talk with members of the Panhellenic Executive...



[7th, 12th, 14th Floor Only] Explore Clark Park Farmer's Market



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3. House Leadership:

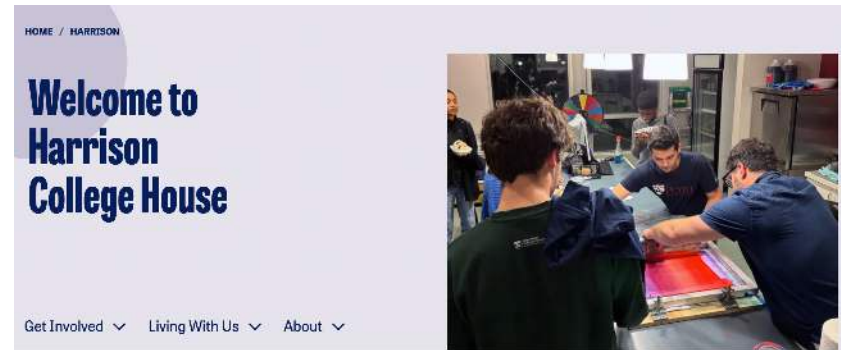
- House Director: Eric Cottrell
- House Coordinator: Valéria Moreira
- House Faculty: Lisa Taglang, Nicola Gentili, Deven Patel

4. Info Center

- Lockouts
- Maintenance Issues
- Card Reactivation
- **215-898-5256**

5. RA On-Call

- From 5:00PM to 9:00 AM (weekday) and 5:00 PM to 5:00PM (weekends)



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What to Expect Moving Forward

1. House Calendar

1. Events posted to calendar
2. At least two house events per month
3. Regular off-campus events (Phillies game and Six Flags coming up)

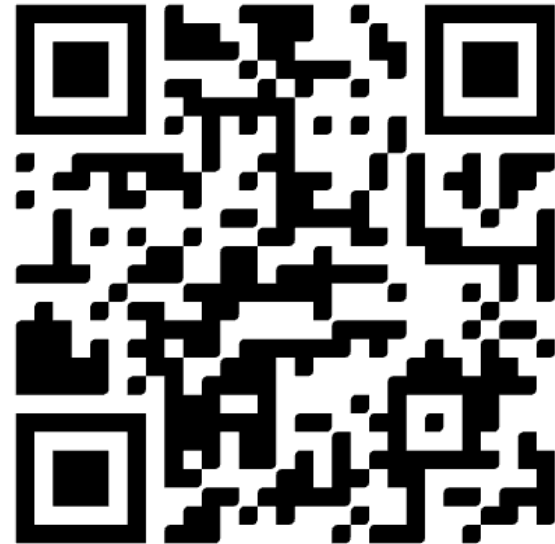
2. Floor Events:

1. Once a month: Food + a short activity as a study break.
2. Short form:

<https://forms.gle/pqbEmoR3eGNL5ZZZ9>

3. Roommate Success Plans

1. Sept 8 - Oct 13
2. Document regarding roommate expectations



Sign up for a 1:1

Direct link:

<https://calendar.app.google/ZrSN8CN7CzNXdrtr8>

Short 15 min meeting with me between September 1st - October 30th.

Please sign up for a slot now. **This will count towards your attendance today**, and you can always reschedule later if something comes up!



GroupMe

Direct link:

https://groupme.com/join_group/109510438/PcpmN0HH

- Event announcements
- General floor communication



Floor Meeting Assessment

Direct link:

<https://collegehouses.upenn.edu/feedback/node/1646>

3 multiple-choice questions.



Thanks for coming!

More to follow...