# **WEEKLY WESTOVER**

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## **EXEC OFFICE HOURS**

Monday: 11am-3pm, 7-10:30pm

Wednesday: 1-2pm, 3-5pm, 7-9pm

Thursday: 3-6pm

Friday: 11am-12pm, 2-4pm

## FEATURED WESTOVER: GRACE CAVANAUGH

Grace is a junior from Henrico, Virginia majoring in biology and minoring in criminal forensics, creative writing, and chemistry. Grace plans on going to graduate school to study forensic science, and explains that she chose to study biology to give herself a hard science that would complement her minor in criminal forensics. Despite wishing to pursue a career in science, Grace has always loved writing and chose to minor in creative writing to give more variety to her schedule.

On campus, Grace is co-editor-in-chief of the Critograph, the vice president of the creative writing club, and a sister in Tri Sigma. In her free time, Grace enjoys cross stitching, reading, and writing, though she notes that she wishes she had more time during the school year to partake in these activities. This summer, Grace is planning on working as an archery instructor at a summer camp.

Grace's favorite part about Westover is the supportive faculty, as well as the Westover general education courses, which diversify her schedule. Grace recently traveled with the Westover Honors College to Italy, where she studied the Italian influence on English writers. Grace notes that this class, along with Dr. Savage's summer colloquium studying witches, has been her favorite Westover class.

# A MODERN TAKE ON PRIDE AND PREJUDICE

On Sunday, February 23, Westover faculty and students gathered to view the University of Lynchburg's Theater Department's presentation of Jane Austen's *Pride and Prejudice*. Though set in the late 18th century, the play modernized Austen's classic with an updated dialogue, and included contemporary popular music in between scenes that complemented the play's plot.

Numerous Westover students participated in the Theatre Department's rendition of *Pride and Prejudice*, both as actors and production staff members. Junior Elizabeth Martin played the lead role of Elizabeth Bennet. Also acting in the play was senior Addy Weaver, who played both Miss Bingley and Lady Catherine DeBourgh; Sophomore Bri Yancey, who played Charlotte Lucas; and Connor McCroy, who was part of the ensemble. Freshman Sam Lipert served as production stage manager for the play. Sydni Spradlin and Amelia Hagen also assisted with *Pride and Prejudice*'s production.

Great work to all Westovers who participated in the play! You put on an amazing show!

# Fride Single Pride

## **CULTURAL EVENTS**

"Of Zombie Past: Writhing, Wailing, and Writing on the Wall" Lecture by Dr. Larycia Hawkins Mon. March 2 at 12 p.m. Memorial Ballroom

"Does Your Blood Not Boil? Embodying Solidarity With Suffering" Lecture by Jennie Cutler Shumate Mon. March 2 at 7 p.m. Memorial Ballroom

"The World Is My Stage" - Black History Month Showcase Tues. March 2 at 7:30 p.m. Memorial Ballroom

Film Screening: The Destruction of Memory
Thurs. March 4 at 7:00 p.m.
Daura Gallery



