



Senior Selection Highlights the Mentors Behind the Mastodon Experience

This year, Purdue University Fort Wayne launched a new graduating senior recognition initiative called Senior Selection, giving members of the Class of 2026 the opportunity to recognize faculty and staff members who made a meaningful impact on their college experience.

Through Senior Selection, graduating seniors were invited to identify the mentors, advocates, encouragers, and supporters who helped shape their time at PFW and contributed to their success both inside and outside the classroom. The responses painted a powerful picture of the Purdue Fort Wayne experience, one rooted in connection, support, mentorship, and belonging. Students highlighted faculty and staff members who challenged them academically, encouraged them personally, supported them professionally, and helped them feel at home on campus.

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Updated Summer Hours to Note

The FRIENDS of the University Pantry Locations

Walb Student Union, Room G36
Thursdays | 10 a.m.–2 p.m.

Kettler Hall, Room G02
Open during the Center for Student
Counseling's operating hours
Monday–Thursday | 9 a.m.–4 p.m.
Friday | 9 a.m.–noon

Cole Clubhouse Pantry
Open during regular clubhouse business hours

If you have questions, need assistance, or
would like to schedule a visit outside of these
pantry summer hours, email
wellbeing@pfw.edu.

Mastodon Campus Store, starting May 25

Monday–Thursday | 10 a.m.–4 p.m.
Friday | 10 a.m.–3 p.m.

Center for Student Counseling

Monday–Thursday | 9 a.m.–4 p.m.
Friday | 9 a.m.–noon

Fitness Center at Gates Sports Center, starting May 9

Monday–Friday | 7 a.m.–7 p.m.
Closed Saturday and Sunday

Dining Services

Einstein Bros. Bagels
Monday–Thursday | 7:30 a.m.–1:30 p.m.

In a Snap

Seen and noted around campus. Monitor our university social feeds for more great moments of Mastodon life.



Two friends explore a previously unfamiliar northwestern area of campus near the St. Joseph River during a warm spring evening.

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