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Wednesday, March 1, 2017

Student Government Board this week held its second town hall of the year. Students from various organizations came to update SGB on their activities and share their initiatives. Whether you are part of an organization or just a student with an idea, the monthly Town Hall is a chance to bring questions, concerns and feedback directly to SGB and connect with us for future meetings. To be in the know for the next event, like and follow us on Facebook at https://www.facebook.com/PittSGB/

Do you know a student at Pitt that goes above and beyond? The Panther of the Month award recognizes hard-working, dedicated, and passionate students at Pitt who make our campus and community a better place. You may nominate yourself or someone else you think has made an impact on Pitt's campus. A student will be chosen by the SGB Student Assembly and announced monthly. To apply or nominate, visit http://sgb.pitt.edu/student-services/panther-of-the-month/

Pitt students are invited to join alumni, faculty, and staff for an opportunity to influence state lawmakers and tell your Pitt story! This year’s Pitt Day in Harrisburg will be on Tuesday, March 21st. Interested students are invited to attend a pre-meeting on March 13th from 5-6pm in WPU 548. Students interested in going to Harrisburg must register here: https://goo.gl/zFQBm2

SGB welcomes Mental Health Advocate Dennis Gillan for a talk about mental health and perseverance. The talk will be given on Wednesday, March 15th from 8pm-9pm in the WPU Assembly Room and will be followed by a Q&A session. Make sure you know the signs of distress and let's break the stigma of mental illnesses!

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For more information about the Panther of the Month Award, contact Board Member Samantha Jankowitz at spj15@pitt.edu. For more information about this year’s Pitt Day in Harrisburg, contact Community & Governmental Relations chair Nick Fisher at npf5@pitt.edu. For more information about A Night with Dennis Gillan, contact Wellness chair Malcolm Juring at maj95@pitt.edu.