



**Project Host**

**Project Description**



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Waterville Opera House (WOH) brings the magic of the performing arts to audiences of all ages. However, WOH wants to book entertainment specifically for college students who attend schools in and around Waterville. We invite individuals to work collaboratively with Erik Thomas and a group of Colby College students to establish a framework to plan, market, and execute entertainment throughout the school year. **The challenge for this project: How might we establish a group from Thomas who will meet with the WOH and Colby students each school year to assist with booking entertainment that appeals to the target market?**



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Waterville collects food that would otherwise be thrown away as trash. This program works in conjunction with the Pay-As-You-Throw trash bags to reduce the amount of material city residents send to the landfill. Teams will be working with both school and city officials on the project. **The challenge for this project: How can we work with school and city partners to promote the programs and increase participation?**  
More information:  
<https://www.waterville-me.gov/publicworks/food-recycling-composting-information/>



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The newly formed THRIVE team's mission is to bring holistic wellness to the Thomas College community. The five categories of wellness that they focus on are career, social, financial, physical, and community. For the spring semester, THRIVE is hosting a half marathon that requires NO running! For the 13.5-week project, THRIVE is challenging TC clubs and sports teams to run an activity, covering at least one of the five categories of wellness that are listed above. This can be a one day, one week, or one-month offerings that contribute to the wellness of our community. For example, our track team is partnering with CrossFit137 and Thomas alums, Jane Marston and Jesse Morkeski, to offer weekly workouts to promote physical wellness. **The challenge for this project: How might we as a community work together to host activities over a 13.5-week period to promote holistic wellness, covering the five categories that our THRIVE team focuses on?**



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