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Stall Seat Journal

October is Domestic Violence Awareness Month

October is dedicated to acknowledging survivors of domestic violence and providing support to these individuals as we **uplift their voices** in the greater

community.



Resources for Domestic Violence

If you or a loved one is affected by abuse or violence, you are not alone.

- UWL Violence Prevention
 - 149 Graff Main Hall
 - 608-785-5126 | advocate@uwlax.edu
 - uwlax.edu/violence-prevention/

New Horizons

- 1223 Main Street La Crosse, WI
- 608-791-2610 (Crisis Line 1-888-231-0066)
- nhagainstabuse.org
- National Domestic Violence Hotline
 - Confidential support 24/7/365 at 800-799-7233

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Costumes, Consent, and Culture

A few reminders as Halloween approaches...

No means no, yes means yes!



Wearing a costume **does NOT equal permission** to touch someone. Consent matters all year and in any outfit!

ADVOCACY

Avoid cultural appropriation by:

 Not wearing costumes that represent harmful stereotypes



 Choosing a costume that is respectful of others' race, sexuality, and gender identity



Consider the historical context of your costume. Is **it considerate of others and their history?** If not, find a respectful costume that is easy for everyone to enjoy.

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	SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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	8	9 Mindfulness in OMSS 1pm	10	11 Wellness in the REC 2pm	12 Free STI Clinic	13 Wellness Weekend	14 >
	15	16 Mindfulness in OMSS 1pm	17	18 Wellness in the REC 2pm	19	20	21
	22	23 Mindfulness in OMSS 1pm	24	25 Wellness in the REC 2pm	26 Candy and Condoms	27	28
	29	30 Mindfulness in OMSS 1pm	31 Candy and Condoms	1	2	3	4

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