

## WE ARE PROUD

We are so proud of Alexander and her determination to continue her passion for music. In February, Alexander will be singing the National Anthem at the basketball game at 7pm. We welcome all friends, family, and community members to celebrate her greatness on Feb 15<sup>th</sup> at the basketball game.



We are Bison Nation!



# Transition and Access Program @ NDSU



## What's Happening?

We are excited to start second semester and see how our new schedules fall into place. A new semester means a few learning curves with changes in buildings, days of the week, and time but we are determined to master the invention of google calendar and all that is provides.

This semester, we are excited to put into place a Peer 2 Peer board game night. Each Monday at 5-6pm, we join together in the Memorial Union and play different games with anyone who is interested. Cards tends to be our favorite, but we welcome all suggestions for great group games!

We also are implementing a new Peer 2 Peer sports in the wellness center on Fridays at 1pm. So far, we have played basketball, badminton, and walked the track. We are grateful for those who enjoy sports and help us increase our athleticism... especially Molly 😊

We continue to use MyNDSU for many social activities. We are really excited for Spring and all the fun that will come with it!



## Looking Ahead

- Crossroads worship and dinner at 5:30pm on Jan 21, 28, Feb 4<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup>.
- Alexander sings the National Anthem at basketball game on Feb 15<sup>th</sup>, 7pm
- Campus Closed Feb 19<sup>th</sup>

## Staff Shoutout!

We are so grateful for our peer mentor Chiara! Chiara is extremely reliable and is very respectful of her peers. She is kind, soft spoken, and wants all people to be included. She is loved by all and we can't imagine our days without her. Thank you for your time, commitment, and support from all of us in the TAP program.



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## Seminar Class

We closed out our Seminar 1 course focusing on college and campus awareness and have moved into Seminar 2, which is titled Social Navigation. This semester in Seminar, we are focusing on conversations, emotions, body awareness, and interactions with those around us. We have many social rules within our society and they are sometimes hard to understand. We enjoy role playing, setting the stage for acting, and watching videos as we dig into being able to read other people.

We have also added a homework help hour, two days a week. This provided the extra support for academic tasks which need a little more time. We are excited to learn all we can this semester and look forward to all the wonderful opportunities and challenges at NDSU.



**“I can’t change the direction of the wind, but I can adjust my sails to always reach my destination.”**

–Jimmy Dean