



Fort Collins Branch Newsletter

June 2024

FCB Class Updates

Class of 2027: These students will complete the Endocrine and Metabolic Systems course on June 7. They will have the Reproductive Systems and Life Cycle Course from June 10 through July 12.

Class of 2026: These students are continuing their clinical clerkships.

Class of 2025: This class is currently in the Alpine phase, including Acting Internships and other electives, for the rest of their curriculum.

Welcoming the Class of 2028

The Fort Collins Branch is preparing to welcome the Class of 2028 in July. The final class list will be announced soon. Save the date for a Welcome Reception for all FCB students, faculty, staff and preceptors **on Wednesday, July 24 from 5:30-7 p.m.** in the FCB Kitchen and Patio. You'll be receiving a calendar invite for this soon. The new students will have Orientation and First Course from July 22-26, with their first day at AMC on Monday, July 22. They will be at the FCB for orientation/first course from July 23-25. The White Coat Ceremony will be Friday, July 26 at 9 a.m. at Boettcher Commons at AMC.

CSU Day at the Rockies Game

Join the CSU community to see the Colorado Rockies vs. the San Francisco Giants at Coors Field for a CSU-themed day on Sunday, July 21 at 1:10 p.m. Special ticket packages are available, to include a CSU Rams-themed Rockies bucket hat, game tickets, and photo opportunities with Spirit CAM and CSU cheerleaders. Wear your best Rams gear

to the game. For details and ticket options visit [Colorado State University Ticket Package | Colorado Rockies \(mlb.com\)](https://www.colorado.com/ticket-package-colorado-rockies).



Highlighted Events:

FCB Office Days for Dean Scott (aka Dean Scotty)

Dr. Maurice Scott, Assistant Dean of Student Affairs, will be in-person at the FCB on the following days and will be available to meet with students: June 12, July 24, and Aug. 20. To make an appointment or to confirm office hours, students can email him at

maurice.scott@cuanschutz.edu.

Colorado Festivals

June marks the start of Colorado's busy summer festival season. From Telluride's Bluegrass Festival to the Greeley Stampede, you can fill your summer weekends here in Colorado.

<https://www.colorado.com/articles/11-quintessential-summer-festivals-colorado>

NoCo Hailstorm Soccer

Watch USL Soccer team, Northern Colorado Hailstorm FC this summer at the Future Legends Complex in Windsor. For the schedule and tickets, visit

<https://www.hailstormfc.com/>.

Yoga in the CSU Gardens

Join these yoga sessions at the CSU Annual Flower Trial Gardens on Thur., June 13 and Thurs., July 11 at 5:30 p.m. The free, hour-long Vinyasa flow yoga class is appropriate for all experience levels. Spots for these sessions are limited so please register in advance.

A donation is suggested to benefit the Gregory Allicar Museum of Art. Please visit [Yoga in the Gardens - Gregory Allicar Museum of Art | Colorado State University \(colostate.edu\)](#).



FoCo Summer Bike to Work (or Wherever) Day

The 36th Annual FoCo Summer Bike to Work (or wherever) Day will be Wed., June 26 from 6:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. or 4-6 p.m. for afternoon stations. The closing ceremonies for the event will be at the CSU Oval from 9:45 a.m. -10:15 a.m. Join the in the celebration which includes stations throughout town which have breakfast, treats, bike maintenance information and more. [Bike to Work Day - City of Fort Collins \(fcgov.com\)](#)

Lagoon Concert Series at CSU

Get ready for the sounds of summer with this beloved concert series under the trees at The Lagoon on Colorado State University's main campus. The series will include seven nights of free music on Wednesdays from 6:30-8:30 p.m. starting June 12. Bring a picnic or grab something from a food truck. For details, please visit <https://lagoonseries.com/>.



Bohemian Nights Thursday Night Live

Bohemian Nights Thursday Night Live is a series of FREE summer concerts in Old Town Fort Collins each Thursday starting in early June and running every Thursday through early August. The concerts are from 7-9 p.m. in Old Town Square. For details and the concert lineup, visit [Thursday Night Live - Bohemian Nights Presents](#).

Taste of Fort Collins

The Taste of Fort Collins is June 8-9 at Washington Park and features more than two dozen food booths of eateries in Fort Collins and Northern Colorado, local bands, and two national headlining entertainers to include Andy Grammer on Sat., June 8 and Rick Ross on Sun., June 9. Day and weekend passes are available for sale. This event typically sells out, so visit <https://tasteoffortcollins.com/home/> for tickets and festival details.

NoCo and CSU Pride

Celebrate PRIDE at these events:

Sun., June 2 from Noon-6 p.m. – **New Belgium’s Pride Kick-Off.** This event will feature queer-owned food trucks, queer artists and makers, tabling by LGBTQIA+ community organizations and a PRIDE RIDE by FoCo Bike Mob in the morning (details and time TBA). [Pride Kick-Off \(visitftcollins.com\)](https://visitftcollins.com)

Tues., June 4 at 3:30 p.m. – **City of Fort Collins Pride Month Proclamation.** This event at City Hall (300 LaPorte Ave.) will feature local drag performers to kick off Pride season and the City of Fort Collins and Mayor Jeni Arndt. [Fort Collins Pride Month Proclamation \(Community Event\) - Pride Resource Center \(colostate.edu\)](https://prideresourcecenter.colostate.edu)



Sat., June 15 – **Loveland Pride Celebration.** Join the Rainbow Collective of Loveland for their Pride Month Celebration. This year’s event is focused on mental health resources, community, and art. Follow @Rainbow.Collective.Loveco on Instagram for more information.

Sat., June 29 from 11 am. – 5 p.m. -- **NoCo Pride event at The Ranch in Loveland.** Join Northern Colorado Equality for this NoCo Pride event, which will include live entertainment, local vendors, kids’ corner, and more. [PRIDE 2024 | NCE \(ncoequality.org\)](https://pride2024.ncoequality.org)

For more information and the NoCo SafeSpace Pride Guide, visit [PrideGuide – NoCoSafeSpace](https://prideguide-nocosafespace.com).

For information from the CSU Pride Resource Center, please visit <https://prideresourcecenter.colostate.edu/>.

FoCo Food Truck Rally

FoCo Food Truck Rally events for the summer season have begun. The rallies will be at City Park every Tuesday through September 17 from 5:30 p.m. to dusk, featuring food trucks and free live music. Visit <http://www.focofoodtruckrally.com/> for further event information and music lineup (presented by The Mishawaka Amphitheatre).



Bluegrass and Brews Festival – Loveland

The Loveland Downtown District is hosting the *One Sweet Summer: Bluegrass and Brews Festival* in the Foundry Plaza in Loveland as a two-day event on Friday, June 7 and Saturday, June 8. The two-day festival will feature live music from a variety of bluegrass acts, session beers from downtown craft breweries and more! [Bluegrass & Brews Festival – Downtown Loveland - Visit Loveland, CO.](https://visitloveland.co)

Windsor Summer Concert Series

The town of Windsor Recreation Department will be hosting this summer concert series on Thursdays starting June 6 and running through August 15. The concerts will be held at Boardwalk Park from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Bring your lawn chairs and blankets to enjoy live music, food trucks and family fun.

<https://www.recreationliveshere.com/219/Summer-Concert-Series>.



NoCo Farmers Markets

The **Fort Collins Farmers Market** offers Colorado-grown produce and locally sourced specialty items to Northern Colorado. Shop local at the FoCo Farmers Markets at 1001 E. Harmony Road (Harmony and LeMay) on Sundays from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. (started in May) and Wednesdays from 10 a.m.-2 p.m. (starting June 12). For details, visit [Fort Collins Farmers Market](#).

The **Windsor Farmers Markets** will be on Saturdays from 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at Boardwalk Park starting June 1 and running until the end of August. [Farmers Market | Windsor Parks, CO \(recreationliveshere.com\)](#)

The **Loveland Farmers Market** seeks to support local vendors and the community by providing a marketplace for fresh, locally grown or raised produce, meats, poultry, dairy and artisan goods, Market dates are Sundays from June 2 through Sept. 29 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Fairgrounds Park (700 S. Railroad Ave., Loveland). The last Sunday of each month will include 15 additional vendors that are local artists. [Farmers Market at Fairgrounds Park | City of Loveland \(lovgov.org\)](#)



Be Kind FoCo Events

This Fort Collins community philanthropy project will be hosting a **Be Kind FoCo Kindness Fest and Expo on Sat., June 1 from 11a.m.-2 p.m.** in Old Town Square. This is their sixth annual Kindness Expo. It's a family friendly celebration

of kindness in the community, featuring an expo of local nonprofits, grassroots kindness projects, first responders with their vehicles, music, games, kindness activities, supply drives, prizes, swag and ways to get to know the community through kindness. Following this Festival, this organization will celebrate **Be Kind FoCo Week from June 1-8**. This is a citywide celebration of kindness and philanthropy in the community. For more information, visit <https://www.bekindfoco.org/>.

CSU Events

Mon., June 3 from 5-7 p.m. – **Felicia Keesing: Biodiversity and infectious diseases: principles for prediction.**

This keynote and reception will be in the Lory Student Center B Ballroom. Keesing is a biologist who studies the consequences of interactions among species, particularly as biodiversity declines. Her recent work focuses on how biodiversity influences the probability that humans and other animals will be exposed to infectious diseases. This event is presented by the Microbiology, Immunology and Pathology Department. At CSU. For details, visit

<https://calendar.colostate.edu/?trumbaEmbed=view%3Devent%26eventid%3D174055116>.

Sat., July 13 @ 7 p.m. – **Concert Version: *Bye Bye Birdie***, Griffin Concert Hall. The CSU Sumer Conducting Seminar continues its tradition of presenting a delightful concert version of a popular operetta or musical. The project serves as the master's thesis for working music educators from around the world who participate in the seminar for three consecutive summers. [Concert Version: Bye Bye Birdie - Music \(colostate.edu\)](#)

Student & Faculty Research

Are you engaged in research or scholarship at the CUSOM at CSU via a conference presentation or poster, publication, or grant award? Please help us keep track of student and faculty work! In particular, we'd like to showcase student research on the website. Students and faculty can log scholarly contributions via this link at any time: <https://app.smartsheet.com/b/form/60ad3e42628a49b1b8613b1bb7f400ff>. Valerie Lewis (Valerie.Lewis@colostate.edu) is happy to answer questions or provide more information. Thank you!

AHEC and CSU Spur Housing

FCB students have several options for housing while doing electives and active internships in the Denver Metro Area. In addition to the housing offered through the Colorado Area Health Education Center, CSU offers SPUR housing in the Denver area. The FCB team is working to finalize the SPUR partnership and process and will send out information to students when that option is available.

To apply for AHEC Housing: start by completing the following form 60 days ahead of your rotation. The FCB Admin Team will submit the request to AHEC and provide confirmation of the rotation.

<https://app.smartsheet.com/b/form/fb02b143056a408c925976ecb681927a>

In the News

"CU School of Medicine Celebrates Class of 2024" by Taylor Shaw

[CU School of Medicine Celebrates Class of 2024 \(cuanschutz.edu\)](#)

"CSU research team to develop technology for new rapid, at-home HIV test" by Christopher Outcalt

[CSU research team to develop technology for new rapid HIV test \(colostate.edu\)](#)

"The Future of Veterinary Medicine: CSU breaks ground on new Veterinary Health and Education Complex, a project that will help the University to continue to lead in training the next generation of veterinarians"

by Christopher Outcalt

[CSU breaks ground on Veterinary Health and Education Complex \(colostate.edu\)](#)

“Photo Gallery: Veterinary health and Education Complex Groundbreaking Celebration” by Rachel Yager
[Photo gallery: Veterinary Health and Education Complex Groundbreaking Celebration \(colostate.edu\)](http://colostate.edu)

“Navigating Mental Health Around a Cancer Diagnosis” by Matthew Hastings
[Navigating Mental Health Around a Cancer Diagnosis \(cuanschutz.edu\)](http://cuanschutz.edu)

“First Lady Visits Ludeman Family Center for Women’s Health Research” by Devin Lynn
[First Lady Visits Ludeman Family Center for Women’s Health Research \(cuanschutz.edu\)](http://cuanschutz.edu)

“CU Faculty Awarded Funds to Study the Science of Engagement in Health Research” by Melissa Santorelli
[CU Faculty Awarded Funds to Study the Science of Engagement in Health Research \(cuanschutz.edu\)](http://cuanschutz.edu)

“Diabetes in Youth May Increase Risk for Alzheimer’s, Other Diseases” by David Kelley
[Diabetes in Youth May Increase Risk for Alzheimer’s, Other Diseases \(cuanschutz.edu\)](http://cuanschutz.edu)



Faculty Spotlight

Emily Scott, MD, MPH

Internal Medicine Education Liaison
Clinical: Northern Colorado VA

Dr. Emily Scott grew up in Wenatchee, Washington and attended Washington State University for undergraduate, then the University of Washington for medical school. She came to Colorado for internal medicine residency at the University of Colorado. She is a primary care physician at the Northern Colorado VA. She loves working with underserved communities, especially people experiencing homelessness. She is excited about medical education, including teaching clinical reasoning and integrating social determinants of health and communication skills

into clinical education. Outside of work, Emily enjoys mountain biking, cross country skiing, printmaking, and reading about animals. Most of all, she loves hanging out with her partner and daughter.

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