

Pace & Feeding Westchester Launch Mobile Food Pantry



L to R: Cornell Craig, assistant dean and director of multicultural affairs and diversity programs at Pace; Zikomo Barr, coordinator of leadership programs at Pace; student volunteers Olivia Wint and Natalie Holguin; Pace President Marvin Krislov; Tyler Kalahar, program coordinator for the Center for Community Action and Research at Pace; Nicole Dobson of Feeding Westchester; and student volunteer Noelani Rivera.

Pace University has launched a mobile food pantry through a partnership with Feeding Westchester. Pace President Marvin Krislov attended the first mobile food pantry event Sept. 27 and spoke with student volunteers who participated by passing out produce to students and local residents.

"It was a really great experience to be able to help others, especially people so closely tied to our community," said Noelani Rivera, a first-year student at Pace.

Tyler Kalahar, program coordinator at Pace's Center for Community Action and Research in the Dyson College of Arts and Sciences, said the new mobile food pantry is in keeping with Pace University's position as a leader in economic mobility in higher educa-

tion.

"Addressing hunger with the mobile food pantry program is simply another way to give students, particularly our first generation and students from low-income families, the resources they need to succeed in college," he said.

The mobile pantry fall schedule is as follows: Wednesday, Oct. 31 from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m.; Tuesday, Nov. 27 from 4 to 6 p.m.; and Thursday, Dec. 13 from 12:30 to 2:30 p.m.

The mobile food pantry is open to students and the community. It is located at Pace University, 861 Bedford Road, Pleasantville, entrance 3, North Hall parking lot.

For more information, visit www.pace.edu.