Celebrating Pride

While campus was buzzing with a wide range of talks, performances, and activities during Simon’s Rock Pride Week, March 28 – April 3, the wider Simon’s Rock community of alumni, parents, friends, and supporters joined together for a special Pride fundraising appeal. With a group of donors pledging to match Pride donations dollar-for-dollar if we met or exceeded a goal of $25,000, we received more than 100 gifts—a one-week record! Thanks to those lead donors, we have been able to extend the Pride appeal until Saturday, April 10. Make your gift online or contact advancement@simons-rock.edu to make payment arrangements.

If you make a gift of $100 or more, we will thank you with a one-time rainbow edition of our popular Simon’s Rock tote bag. We will memorialize any gift of $1,000 or more with a personally inscribed brick on the Mods patio.

To celebrate Women’s History Month, Simon’s Rock faculty, students, and staff spotlighted one central figure in women’s history nearly every day throughout March. Read more about the women whose legacies we’ve shared and celebrated.

Update from the Office of Admission

This month Simon’s Rock welcomed its new Director of Admission and Board of Trustees Committee Management, Melissa Osborn, who was most recently the Director of Undergraduate Admissions at Pace University. The Office of Admission continues to hold Prosperous Student Coffees with Provost Jen Wessels next month. Prospective Academy and College students and their families are invited to join us as we share updates from campus, answer questions, and connect in real life. Look out for more details on our virtual engagement campaign in the coming days.

Centering Key Figures in Women’s History

Next Alumni Zoom Meet-Up: April 29

Join hosts David Segil ’00 and Valerie Ferrier ’94 for the next Alumni Zoom Meet-Up on Thursday, April 29 at 7:00 p.m. ET. Rockers from all classes are invited to a virtual meet-up on Zoom to reconnect with classmates from the comfort of home. Join us and come ready to share your Simon’s Rock stories. For more information and the meeting link, contact advancement@simons-rock.edu.

Pets of Simon’s Rock

Meet Finn (cat) and River (dog), beloved family members of two Rockers—Alexa Gordon Murphy ’89 and son, Noah Murphy ’20.

Got a cute pet pic you want to share? Send it along with your name, entering class year, your pet’s name, and your contact info to Rebecca Wehry, rwehry@simons-rock.edu.