## THE STUDY HALL

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# Celebrate the Culture Paint 'n Sip

The "Celebrate the Culture" Black History
Month Paint 'n Sip event was a blast this past
weekend! We had a great turnout, with all types of
students in enthusiastic attendance. Soft drinks
and lemonades were sipped, backgrounds and
foregrounds were painted, and students had a
chance to celebrate together. Thanks so much to
our librarian Christina Tatum for coordinating this
event, and to Mandi Brown '23 for the wonderful
artistic instruction!

We are so grateful to all the Scotties who showed up and to everyone else involved in making this event possible. Make sure to check out our <u>Black History Month Guide</u> as well as future guides from McCain Library as we celebrate heritage months throughout the semester.

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## **Upcoming Events**

Mobile Librarian 3/24 - Evans Dining Hall 11:30AM-1:00PM

This month your friendly
McCain Librarians will be
sharing information
regarding Women's History
Month. We will also provide
snacks, stickers and a chance
to win a grand prize basket!

## **Peak Week and Spring Break Library Hours**

Starting next week, March 6th through March 18th, the library will operate with the following hours and will resume regular hours on Sunday March 19th:

#### **Peak Week**

Monday-Friday: 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM Saturday-Sunday: CLOSED

#### **Spring Break**

Monday-Friday: 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM Saturday: CLOSED

Sunday: 3:00 PM - 10:30 PM \*Building open until 1:00 AM

## Leave Your Legacy Wikipedia Edit-a-thon

To celebrate Founders Day, Marjanae Watson '23, the Center for Digital & Visual Literacy and McCain Library hosted a Wikipedia edit-a-thon focused on updating the Agnes Scott College Wikipedia page. Using a resource list created by Christopher Bishop and Marjanae Watson, nine students along with library and CDVL staff members combed through archival records, the Agnes Scott College website and current articles about Agnes Scott College to ensure the Wikipedia page for Agnes Scott College accurately reflects important facts about the college. Nearly fifty edits were made in just over an hour.

As a community that believes in amplifying the voices, history and experiences of underrepresented people, Agnes Scott College is the perfect place to cultivate a new generation of Wikipedia editors. The CDVL and McCain Library are committed to supporting students, student organizations, and faculty who are interested in becoming Wikipedia editors or in hosting editing parties focused on particular areas of interest. To see the full scope of what you can do with Wikipedia watch our short 4-minute Wikipedia 101 video: <a href="https://youtu.be/T20mpoM1Mlg">https://youtu.be/T20mpoM1Mlg</a>.

## **Arseneau Award - Call for Nominations**

Faculty, staff, and students: do you know the next Scottie to join the library or archives profession? Nominations and self-nominations are now being accepted for McCain Library's annual Arseneau Award. This award goes to an Agnes Scott College junior or senior who is either committed to pursuing a career in librarianship/archives by obtaining a master's of information/library science/archival studies OR who has made significant contributions to McCain Library as a student assistant.

Details and the nomination form are here: https://forms.gle/eANcXGLUHYebkWkj9.

The form is due by 4:30 p.m. ET on Monday, April 3, 2023. Thank you for helping us find the next winner! Past awardees are listed here: https://www.agnesscott.edu/library/about-the-library/awards.html.

### March Puzzle



Can you find all 5 differences in these desktop backgrounds?

Have a great Peak Week and Spring break! Safe travels and wishes for marvelous adventures to all going on Journeys trips.

Contact us: Visit agnesscott.edu/library for more information, or email jlucas@agnesscott.edu to reach the editor.

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## **March Book Review**

by Lissete Estrella '25, Political Science Major & McCain Library Circulation Student Assistant

A Silent Voice is a manga series that follows Shoya Ishida, bully extraordinaire— especially to the new transfer student— a deaf student named Shouko Nishimiya. The story picks up years later when Shoya commits to making amends with Shouko after his own life—changing revelations. The amazing thing about this series is its ability to navigate intense topics in a way that brings the plot to fruition, highlighting the strength in vulnerability, understanding and empathy. If you're a visual kind of person like I am, the illustrative nature of manga helps with making the impact of the story worthwhile. I even found myself tearing up!

Check out our copy of <u>A Silent Voice</u> by author Yoshitoki Oima and translator and artist Steven LeCroy and enjoy the entire series at McCain Library today!