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Saving the Planet, Stocking the Pantry

The GP family celebrated Earth Day with an end-of-the-semester vegan potluck. Students and staff challenged themselves to create delicious dishes without any animal proteins, including meat, dairy and beef or chicken stock. As explained by GP's resident vegan, Nicole Medina, "Reducing our consumption of animal products lessens the strain on our planet caused by animal agribusiness, which is a leading contributor of climate change, deforestation, species extinction and water pollution. Not only does minimizing the use of these products help the planet, but it shows compassion toward animals and can be incredibly beneficial for leading a healthy lifestyle."



In addition to the potluck, GP organized a food drive to support Knights Helping Knights Pantry. The Pantry is a student-driven program at UCF that provides basic needs including food, clothing and personal hygiene items to foster academic success. Our team donated more than 300 individual items totaling over 115 pounds of food. The Knights Pantry is always accepting donations, and you can learn more by clicking [here](#).

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JCB Goes to D.C.

In April, GP director John C. Bersia, along with other members of the Association of Opinion Journalists, attended the U.S. Department of State's annual briefing in Washington, D.C. The day-long program featured presentations by several senior officials, including Assistant Secretary for Western Hemisphere Affairs Roberta Jacobson. She addressed the challenges in the changing relationship between the United States and Cuba, from setting up an embassy to dealing with mutual distrust. She also discussed the broader issue of the small countries of the Caribbean and the disproportionate difficulties they face.

The group also heard from Chris Painter, the Secretary's Coordinator for Cyber Issues, who stressed the importance of an international strategy for cyberspace, with the aim of promoting responsible state behavior, advancing freedom, security and stability, and fighting crime.



Chris Painter, Coordinator for Cyber Issues

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