



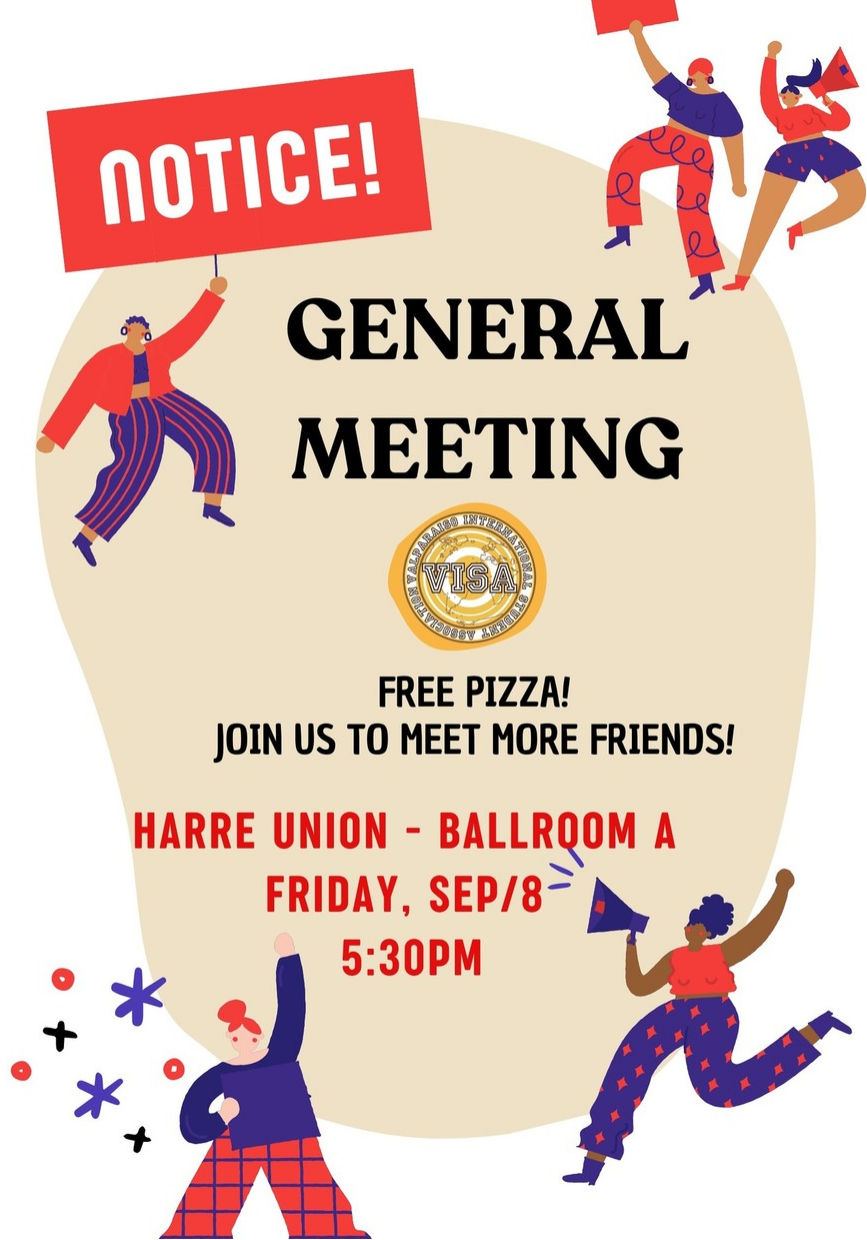
Hello International Students and Friends,

We hope you had a relaxing Labor Day weekend! Now that classes are in full swing, we hope you can find free time to get out and enjoy the campus activities. There are some great opportunities ahead; pay special attention to: **VISA meeting, Popcorn Festival, Badminton, and more!**

[The OIP](#)

TODAY - VISA meeting

Come join VISA's first meeting of the semester; there will be free pizza and games, and they will discuss more about food bazaar!



Tomorrow - Popcorn Festival

Did you know Valparaiso is famous for popcorn? Every year, the city hosts a festival with food booths, live music, popcorn parade, and more! Come join us tomorrow at the Valparaiso downtown square! Find more information [HERE](#)



**44th Annual Valparaiso
Popcorn Festival
Saturday, September 9, 2023**

DOWNTOWN VALPARAISO

Festival Hours: 8 a.m. - 6:30 p.m.

Parade: 10 a.m.

Badminton

Looking to get some exercise and have fun while doing it? The Rec center is organizing free drop-in badminton, and all are welcome to play! The first one begins this Sunday, so don't miss out!

DROP-IN BADMINTON

SUNDAYS FROM 5PM-7PM
GYM 2 OF THE ARC
(3RD FLOOR)



SEPT. 10, 17, 24
OCT. 1, 8, 22, 29
NOV. 5, 12
DEC. 3

ALL EQUIPMENT
WILL BE PROVIDED

****ABOVE SCHEDULE MAY CHANGE DUE TO FACILITY SPACE,
EVENTS, OR BREAK PERIODS****

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FOR UPDATES

International Food Bazaar chef sign- up

The International Food Bazaar, hosted by Valparaiso International Student Association (VISA), has an opportunity for you to make food from your home country and sell it on campus. You will be given a budget to buy materials, and all the cooks will bring food on campus to sell it to other students and locals. If this is something you are interested in, please fill out [THIS FORM](#)

If you can't cook but are interested in volunteering, please email visa@valpo.edu. Volunteers will be given 5 free food

tickets.



OIP Hours

The OIP is located at **Harre Union Suite 250**. Stop by to pick up documents, make an appointment, or just chat between **9 am to 4 pm, Monday to Friday**.



See you around campus!



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