PHOTOS

A night of dancing at "Rep Your Flag" event

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On Thursday, Sept. 24, Caribbean Student Association hosted "Rep Your Flag" a night of dancing and a place where people could represent their country or heritage. People were able to wear their country or heritage's flag, colors or cultural clothing. Hosted in the Adanti Student Center Ballroom where a DJ played music for students to dance to. A dance performance by the Caribbean Student Association. The event brought students together to celebrate their different cultures or hertiage in a welcoming space for everyone. Doors opened at 10 p.m. and the event went on until 1 a.m. the next day.

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Psychology major Jalil Pena, a senior, standing with friends.



Biotechnology major Deandrea Paisley and healthcare studies major Dominique Thompson, freshmen, posing for a photo.



Business administration major Jamar Bailey, psychology major Rayvon Hines and health science science major Sean Neal, freshmen, holding flags.



Public health major Mya Warren, a senior, in the splits.



Group of students holding their country or heritage's flag outside of the ballroom.

Community resources meet students on campus



Coordinator of Alcohol and Other Drug Services Sarah Keiser handing out a T-shirt.



Check-in table at the event to get a passport.

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On Sept. 23, the university hosted its annual resource fair, bringing together campus departments and community organizations to connect students with support services and educational opportunities. Representatives from agencies focused on mental health, substance use recovery, gambling prevention and LGBTQ+ advocacy met with students to share information about programs available both on and off campus. Throughout the event, attendees visited tables, collected informational materials and spoke directly with organization representatives about services that may support their well-being. Several organizations offered demonstrations and interactive activities, including training on how to recognize an opioid overdose and administer Narcan in an emergency. Other tables highlighted counseling services, recovery programs, community groups and additional resources available throughout the New Haven area.

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Early childhood education majors Grenasia Ward and Isabella Velazquez, freshmen, posing for a photo while they wait in line for ice cream.



New Haven Health Department representative explaining information about them.



Nursing majors Yamilett Escalera, Evelyn Mella-da-Portillo and Kaily Parra, freshmen, posing for a photo.



Connecticut Council on Problem Gambling explaining the risks of gambling.



New Haven Pride Center table at resource fair.



Addiction Preventation and Treatment Foundation giving a demonstration on how to administer Narcan to someone who is overdosing.