



Welcome to

ENGINEERS WITHOUT BORDERS

January General Body Meeting



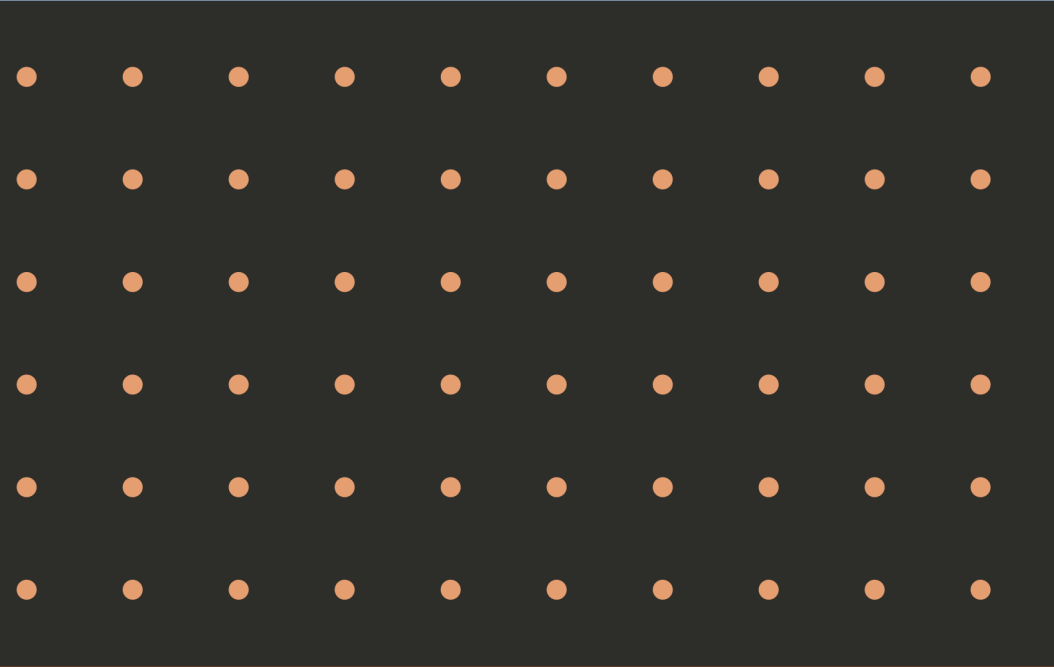
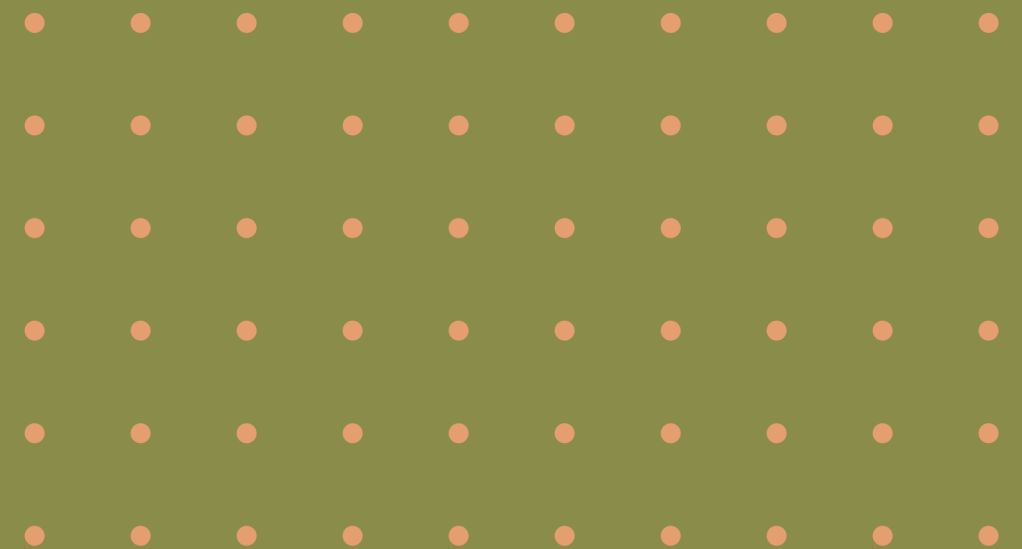


MEEETING AGENDA



- Icebreaker
- EWB-KU Overview + Review
- Club Updates
- Outstanding Members of the Month
- Looking at the Spring 2024 Semester
- Upcoming Events
- NEWB Graduation
- Signing Off

ICEBREAKER



ABOUT ME:



Rachel Odabasi

2023-2024 EWB-KU President

- From Lincoln, Nebraska
- Studying Architecture
- 3rd year as part of EWB-KU
- Member of 2022 and 2023 Azacilo Travel Team

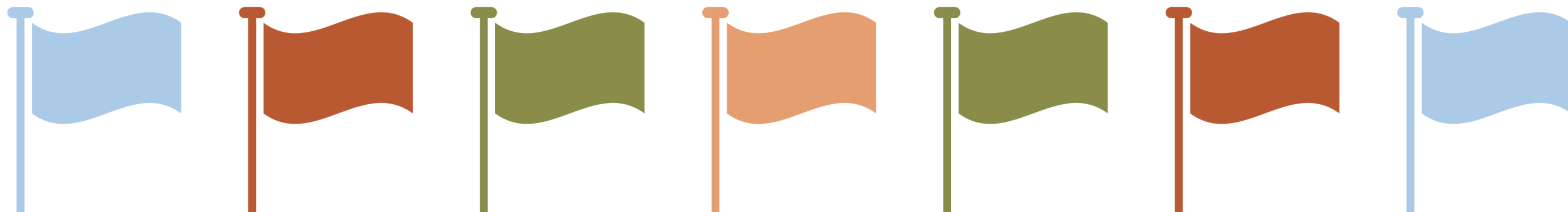
Why EWB-KU?

I began college as a Chem-E student who was very passionate about adventure and doing things with a purpose. EWB-KU is the perfect combination of the two!



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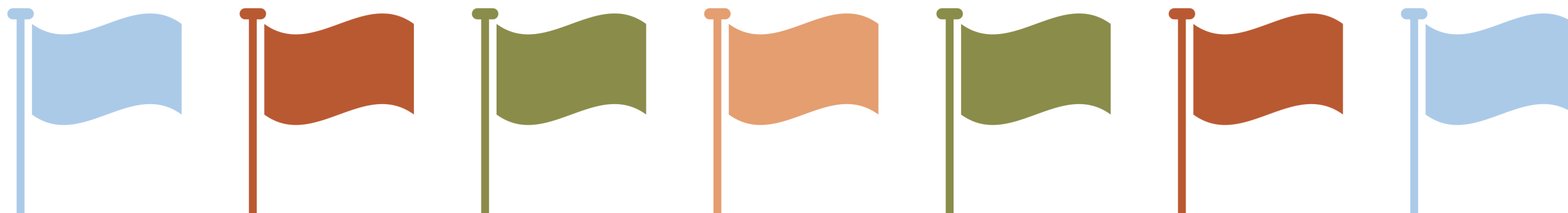
Welcome to the EW-UN!
Each table represents
one country at the
conference. You must
inform the other
countries here of these
aspects of your home
land:

- Location + geography/biome
- Type of Government
- Main export/the main thing your country is known for
- National animal
- National food dish
- The most popular sightseeing attraction
- One famous person either from your country or that lives there
- The main issue your country is facing today



Before discussing with
your fellow
representatives, share...

- Your NAME and PRONOUNS!
- Your YEAR at KU!
- Your MAJOR!





NOW IN SESSION...

Let's hear from our nations!

- Wobblequarkia
- Baobabara
- New Zhongleshnort
- The Jibberquibian Isles
- Bafflakistan
- Chapathaha-ha
- Blibberflubbinstadt
- Hampterfuppinshire
- Saunterblugget
- Fjordnordlund
- Gargallara

(Theoretical bonus points
to the nation that realizes
they are a Gravity Falls
reference)



WHAT IS EWB-USA?

“Engineers Without Borders USA builds a better world through engineering projects that empower communities to meet their basic human needs. Our highly skilled volunteers work with communities to find appropriate solutions for their infrastructure needs.”

- Student chapters, Professional chapters, International offices (outside of EWB-USA)
- Sustainable solutions and humanitarian work
- Open to all!
- Local, national, and international work/projects

Lots of volunteering, lots
of fundraising, lots of
FUN!



CLUB OVERVIEW & REVIEW





LOCAL PROJECTS

Volunteering monthly around
Lawrence or Kansas City

MO Hives, Homeworks USA, Project
CURE, CCO Earth/fellow campus
organizations, Habitat for
Humanity



DOMESTIC PROJECTS

Traveling outside Kansas over Fall and Spring breaks to volunteer with Habitat for Humanity (Fall) or Historic Green (Spring)

Fall break in
Fayetteville,
Arkansas!



Spring break in
New Orleans,
Louisiana!



Siding a house, constructing a fence, landscaping a rain garden, restoring windows on historic houses, constructing/restoring picnic tables and benches in a community garden





INTERNATIONAL PROJECTS

Traveling outside the United States to work on one of our water resource engineering projects

Water well project in Bubago, Uganda, composting latrines in Colani, Bolivia, and solar-heated showers in Azacilo, Bolivia



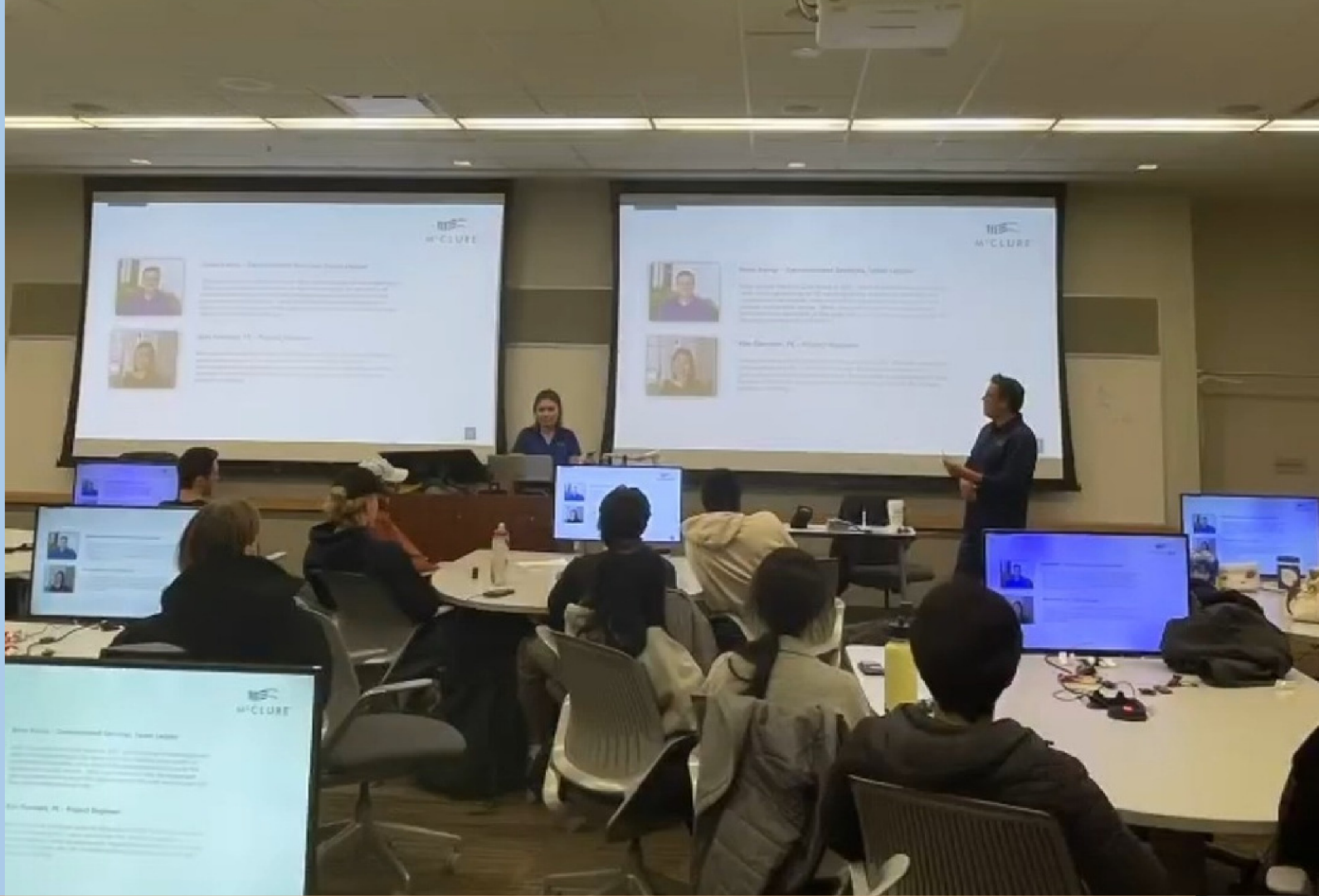
SOCIAL EVENTS

Monthly membership events aimed
towards getting to know fellow
EWBers better



Game nights, EWB Trivia, Ice
Cream Social, Bowling,
EWBackyard Bash, Annual
Pumpkin Painting Competition

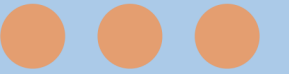




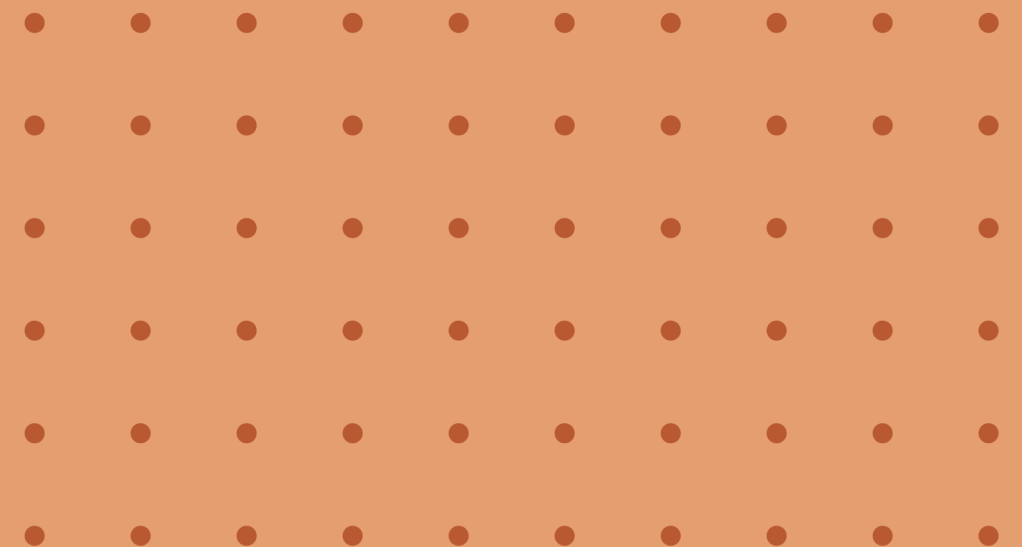
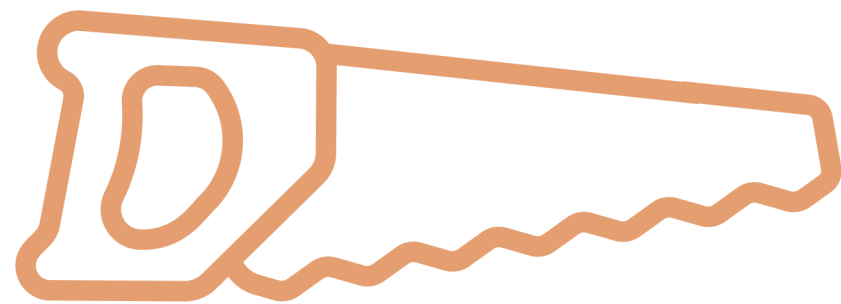
CORPORATE AND FUNDRAISING EVENTS

Football concessions, EWBake Sale (fall), LaunchKU crowdfundingraiser, Disc Golf Tournament Fundraiser (spring), Kiewit x EWB Meet & Greet, corporate speakers at meetings, factory tours





CLUB UPDATES

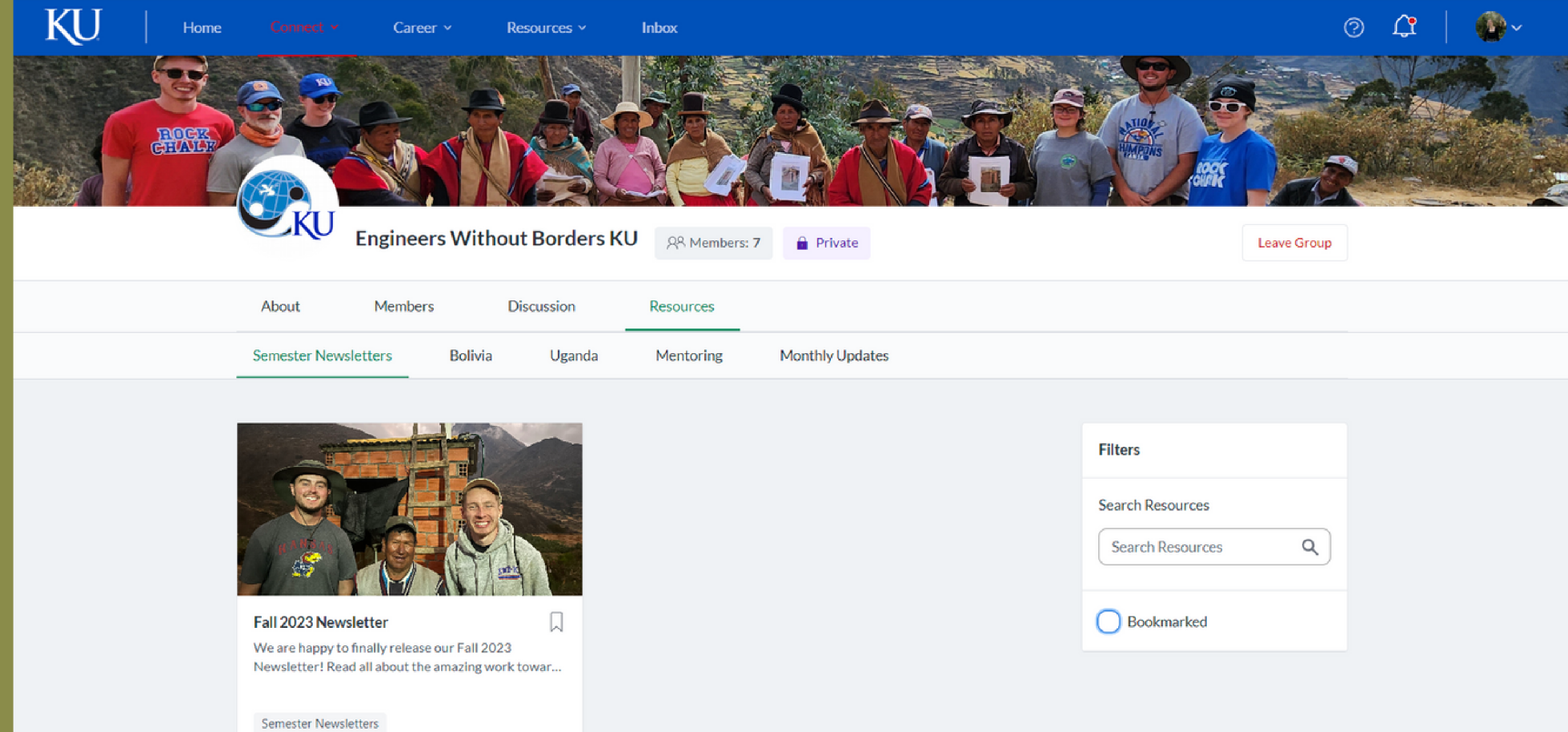


2023/2024 EWB MERCH ORDER

- Merch order CLOSED
- Venmo Laura
- Hand out in February



EWB-KU ALUMNI AND STUDENT NETWORK



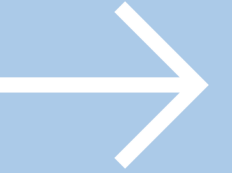
- Through KU Mentoring+ (KU's networking website)
- To register:
 - Scan QR code (it will be provided at end of presentation as well)
 - Click “Sign Up” (or “Sign In” if you already have an account)
 - Create your account via your LinkedIn or KU school account
- After creating account...
 - “Connect” --> “Groups” --> “Engineers Without Borders” --> “Join”



BOLIVIA TRAVEL TEAM APPLICATIONS COMING SOON!

- 2 teams
 - Azacilo: Monitoring + repairing solar showers
 - Colani: Constructing eco-latrines
- Travel at end of July/beginning of August
- Team sizes TBD
- Applications released at upcoming Project Meeting





FEBRUARY SOCIAL EVENT

Scan the QR code to help us best plan
our next social event!



SPRING BREAK IN NEW ORLEANS!

- March 9th - 16th/17th
- Working with Historic Green
- Community restoration + improvement projects in Lower Ninth Ward





- Carpool down and back; gas reimbursements
- Stay in AirBNB or hotel (depending on interest)
- Expected cost: ~\$600
 - *Includes Historic Green fee of \$200 for safety equipment + food





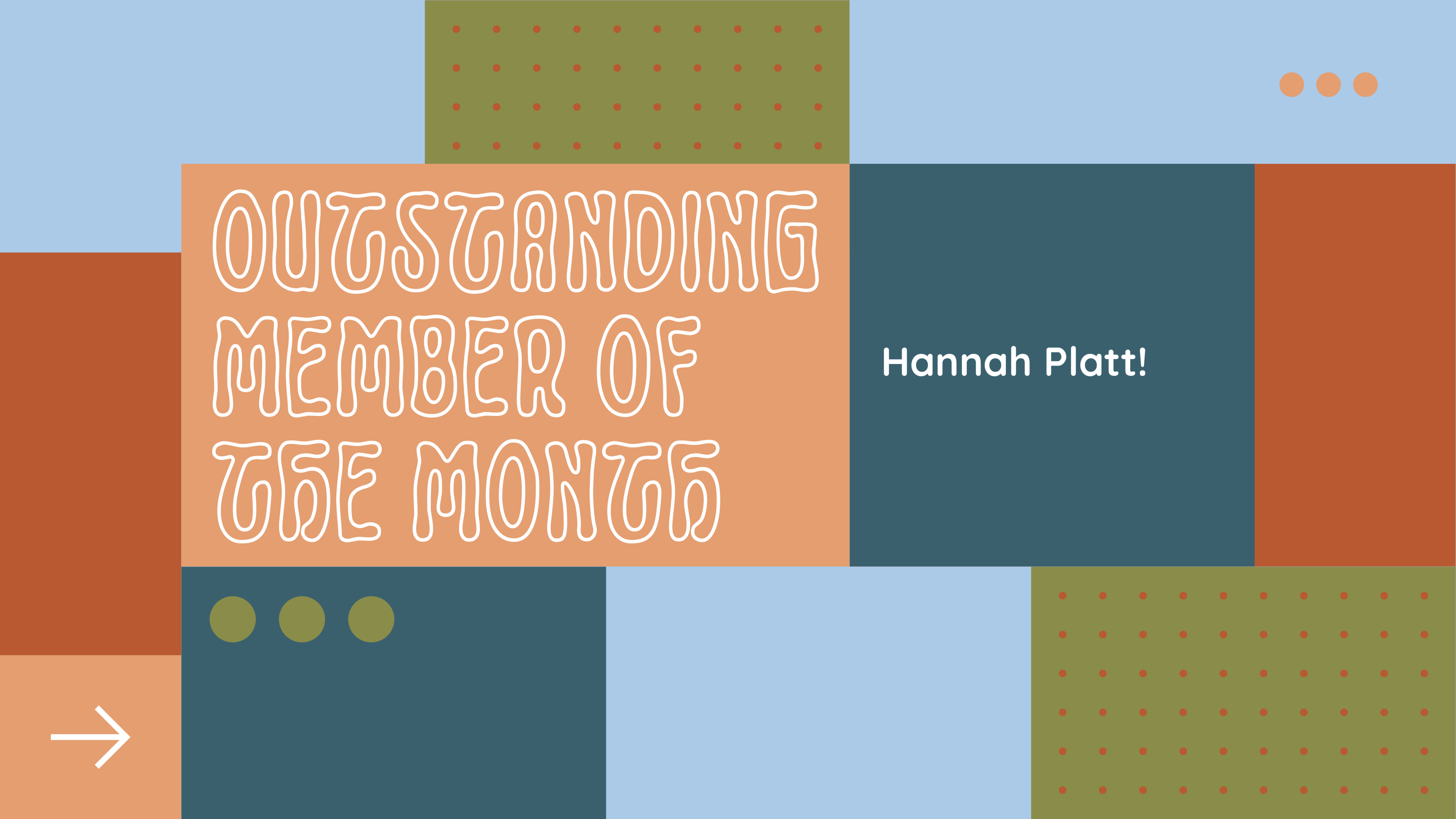
EWB-KU MID-YEAR REVIEW

Fill out the google form at the QR to be entered in a raffle for EWB-KU or EWB-USA merch! One prize will be added to the raffle for every 10 people who complete the form!



OUTSTANDING
MEMBER OF
THE MONTH



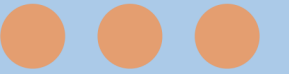
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OUTSTANDING MEMBER OF THE MONTH

Hannah Platt!



OUTSTANDING EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBER OF THE MONTH



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Laura
VanderMeulen!



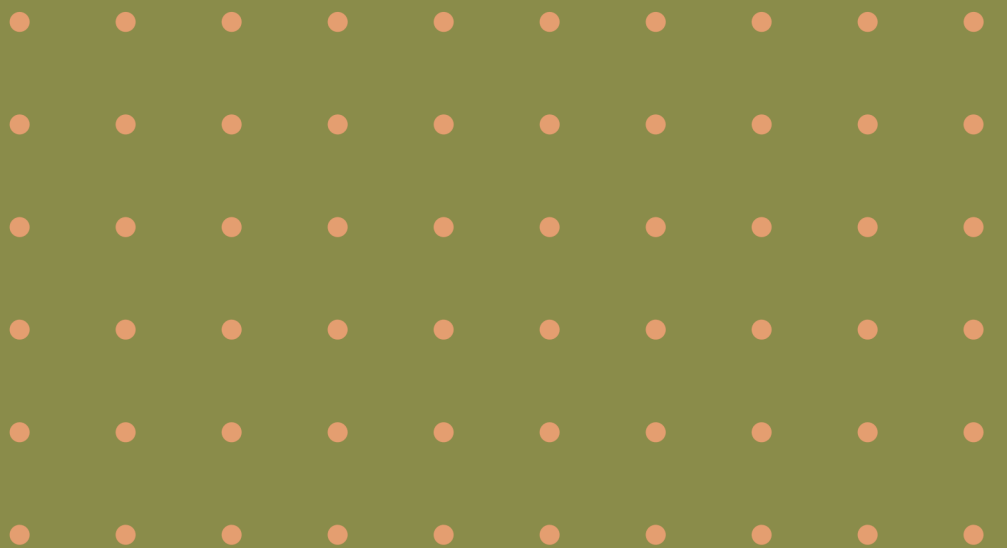


LOOKING AHEAD AT SPRING 2024



- Bolivia Travel Team Applications
- ESC Engineering EXPO
- Spring Break Domestic Trip
- Travel for Uganda Project
- EWBUSA Midwest Regional Conference
- 2024/2025 Exec Board Elections
- 2nd Annual Disc Golf Fundraiser
- EWBie Awards

UPCOMING EVENTS



MEEETING SCHEDULE

Wednesdays @ 7pm in LEEP2 2300



1st Wednesday

NEWB Meeting

2nd Wednesday

Project Meeting

3rd Wednesday

General Body Meeting

4th Wednesday

Project Meeting

Stay up to date
on EWB-KU
events by
checking out the
Calendar tab in
the Teams
channel!



SATURDAY,
JANUARY 27TH



PROJECT MEETING

Uganda + Bolivia reports

Come with questions about Bolivia Travel Team Applications!

LEEP2 2300, 7pm

JANUARY LOCAL PROJECT

- Habitat for Humanity
- Sign up is CLOSED
- 8:30a-3p work day in KC
- 2 separate work sites
- Carpooling + Lunch provided



WEDNESDAY,
JANUARY 31ST



EWBAKE SALE PART 2!

- KU Robotics Event
- Tabling + selling goods
- Fundraising hour opportunity
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Sign up to bake goods and/or table using the QR code!

SATURDAY,
FEBRUARY 3RD



NEWB MEETING

Topic: International Projects

LEEP2 2300, 7pm



WEDNESDAY,
FEBRUARY 14TH

WEDNESDAY,
FEBRUARY 7TH



PROJECT MEETING

LEEP2 2300, 7pm

WEDNESDAY,
FEBRUARY 21ST



FEBRUARY GENERAL BODY MEETING

Guest speaker: McClure Engineering

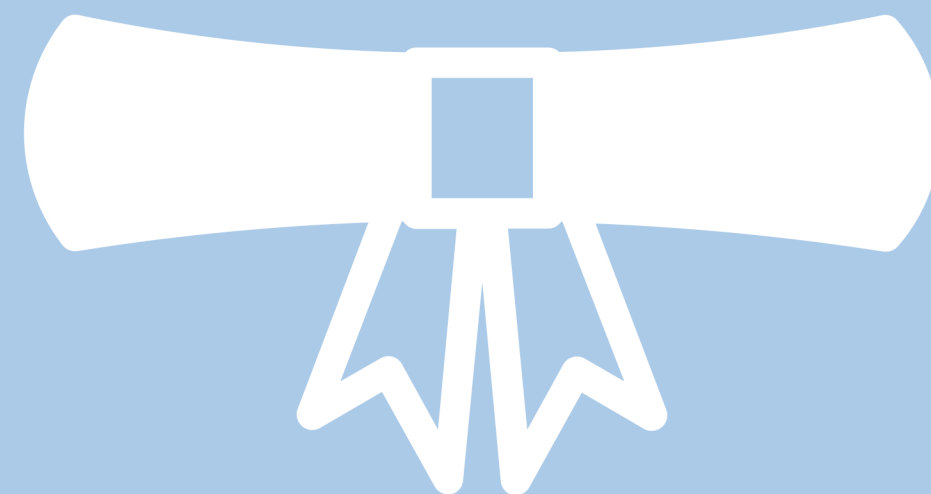
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NEWB GRADUATION CEREMONY

Congratulations and
thank you for your
dedication to EWB-KU!
We look forward to
seeing all that you do
and accomplish as part
of this organization!



SIGNING OFF



Join our weekly email list!

(We won't spam you, we pinky
promise)



(KU Mentoring+
QR Code)

Join our Microsoft Teams
channel!

(This is our main form of
communication)



The image features a series of concentric circles in various shades of red and dark red, creating a tunnel-like effect. In the center, a dark blue circle contains the text "That's all Folks!" in a white, elegant cursive script. The text is slightly offset to the left, following the curve of the circles.

That's all Folks!