

Hello, Dickinsonians,

My name is Preston MacLean, and I'm so excited to be running for sophomore class senator. I fell in love with Dickinson last year, and was twiddling my thumbs all summer waiting to get back. Now that we're finally back, it's time to get to work.

Let me tell you a little bit about myself. I'm from a small Pennsylvanian town called Fleetwood, am a sucker for shelties and golden retrievers, and grew up the youngest in a mixed household of seven. I'm an economics major and am involved with Mock Trial, Delta Sigma Phi, and College Democrats. Over the summer I worked as a tour guide at Crystal Cave, a medium-sized show cave near Kutztown, PA.

We have been doing some great things at this school, and must keep at them. We need to continue and enhance our school's climate change initiatives and advocacy for the sake of our planet. We must also continue to foster our sense of community at Dickinson. What better way than free food? I promise to get you a wide variety of Rita's and Panera Bread bagel brunches. But I would also like to see a few waffle breakfasts here and there, because waffles are delicious.

While Dickinson is a wonderful school filled with a beautiful diversity of ideas and peoples, it isn't perfect. If elected, I will work tirelessly to make our community ever more inclusive and welcoming. I will be a representative of all Dickinsonians, and that means I will serve everyone. While my most important issues revolve around sustainability and campus inclusion/community, I welcome and urge you to voice your concerns to me, make suggestions, or answer your questions. I want to find out where you want to see this school when we graduate in 2020, and just get to know you. So please approach me in person, through my email (macleanp@dickinson.edu), and/or through my Facebook and we can chat.

It is so important we strive to make Dickinson a place for everyone, especially in the face of certain recent and ongoing events nationwide. We can be the example and inspiration for schools and communities nationwide. This school is our home and our place of learning, so let's get together to make it a place for everyone.

Thanks for reading, and please vote Preston MacLean for senate so we can work together.