

## Mary Hay/ Peyton/ Shuttles Commons



Mary Hay/Peyton/Shuttles Commons comprised is of three distinct halls, each with a long history and sense of tradition at SMU. Our approximately 350 residents, Faculty-in-Residence, Residential Community Director, 11 Resident Assistants, and Assistant Residential Community Director make up the largest of SMU's Residential Commons. MHPS is conveniently located in the North Quad and is in proximity to classes, the Hughes-Trigg Student Center, Meadows performance spaces, Umphrey-Lee dining (RFOC), the new Dr. Bob Smith Health Center and many other campus facilities. We are next to Hillcrest and the many shops and restaurants that the SMU community enjoys.

While we are comprised of three halls, we are one community in spirit. Our motto is "Tria Ut Unum" - Three as One – One Commons, One Unit, One Family. Our symbol is the Triquetra Trinity Knot. The three rings of this Celtic knot represent our three residence halls united and intertwined in a common sprit of friendship, a sense of culture, and group identity. Our colors are dark green and silver. The green evokes the mental image of a grove or forest and represents harmony, hope, and growth. Silver symbolizes encouragement and the removal of negativity.

This is an Residential Commons with a sense of purpose and energy. The many events and programs put on by the staff and FiR are designed to allow every resident to find success and a sense of community. MHPS is truly a "Home Away from Home" from many residents.