

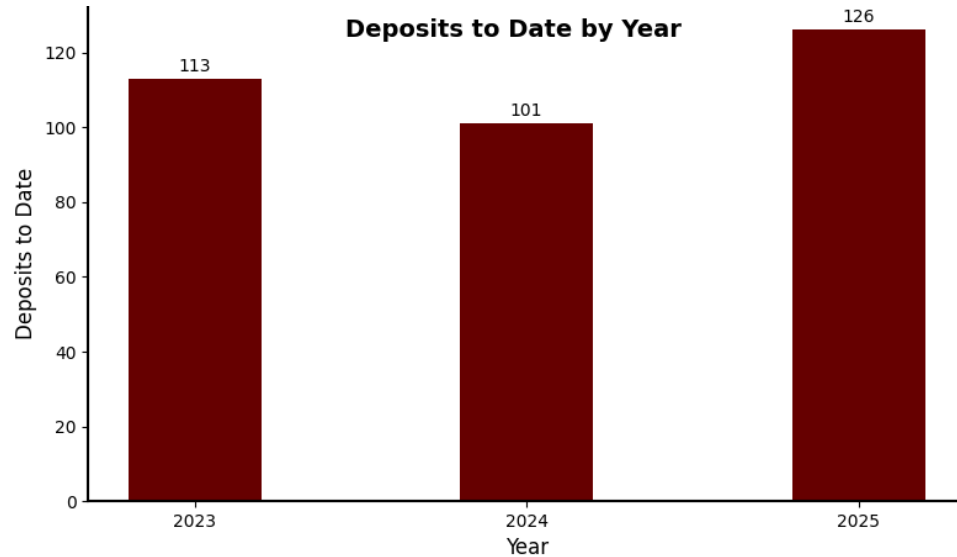
HONORS COLLEGE LAUNCH

Start: Sept 2024

Finish: June 2025

Budget: \$50,000

Actual YTD: \$50,000



RISK/MITIGATION

Failure to gain approval for new Honors curriculum due to shared governance delays could delay future retention and robust launch. Biweekly meetings between Dean and Provost ensure progress.

Q3 HIGHLIGHTS

- ✓ Executed the inaugural Honors College recruiting weekend.
- ✓ Completed Honors Center in Courtyard renovation.
- ✓ Secured faculty approvals for new Honors curriculum through CUC.
- ✓ Extended scholarships/invitations to the select "Top Flight Scholar" prospective students.
 - ✓ 16 verbal commits so far!
- ✓ Transitioned Phi Kappa Phi to Dean.
- ✓ Participated in existing yield events.
- ✓ Honors deposits trending up.

Q4 OBJECTIVES

- Gain final Faculty Conference approval of new curriculum.
- Finalize all details of transition to an Honors College for July 1 launch.
- Compile final deposit and profile data of incoming Fall 2025 Honors students.
- Complete by-laws; secure first reading at Faculty Conference.
- Secure funding from RHEDC to support LeaderU.
- Add an additional Leadership Council Member.

Status:



Lead: Sebastian van Delden

Pillars: Educate, Excel

Date: 4/9/25

DESCRIPTION

In order to increase the capacity to attract exceptionally well-prepared students, Winthrop's Honors Program is being elevated to an Honors College with a unique "leading with leadership" focus and is set to launch in fall 2025.

