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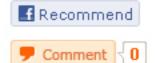


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Anthropology students at Wagner College, Grymes Hill, uncorked chicha, a beer recipe that began with fermented corn. The brewing process, started earlier this week, took two days and was based on an ancient South American recipe. Anthropology professor Celeste Marie Gagnon worked with chemistry professor Nicholas Richardson and two senior undergraduates, Jennifer Ida and Branzi Adduce, above, to determine the proportion of heavy to light oxygen in the brew. The ratio is found in human teeth and is important in determining migration patterns. Further discussion of the subject will be found in the March 8 FOOD section. (Staten Island Advance/Jan Somma-Hammel)









