



Labor Day

Reminder: Monday, September 3rd is Labor Day. Administrative offices on campus (and the library) will be closed and there will be no classes! The RAC will be open 11am-11pm.

There's Football . . . and Then There's Georgia Southern Football.

Come out and support your Eagles!

**Georgia Southern vs. West Georgia
Saturday, September 8, Paulson Stadium, 6 pm**

Students: To get into the game, show your student ID before half-time for free admission. If you arrive after half-time, you will have to pay for the ticket



Southern Conference/Georgia Southern Code of Spectator Conduct

Southern Conference teams shall be supported with enthusiasm and dedication, for strong spectator support is a vital part of the experience of college competition. We expect good sportsmanship from players and coaches and they have a right to expect the same from spectators. Therefore, we urge Southern Conference students, alumni and friends to cheer their teams to victory while upholding those ideals our colleges and universities have nurtured during the long history of the Southern Conference.



Our spectators should be courteous and judicious in choice of expression, and should exhibit good manners and kindness to all others. The scoreboard will reflect the quality of the teams in competitions; the kind of support given by the spectators will reveal the character of Southern Conference fans.

PEP RALLY

Join Coach Hatcher and the team as we usher in a new era of Eagle Football and prepare to kick off the 2007 season!

**Thursday, September 6th at 8:30pm at the
Russell Union Rotunda**

The Banner contest is for any registered Georgia Southern student organization, Greek Organization, or Residence Hall.

- Theme is anything GSU football
- The organization that wins the banner contest will have their Homecoming 2007 fees waived (\$225 value)
- Deadline is September 4th... so get those banners done now!!!

Please turn banners in to the office of Student Activities, Russell Union, Room 1058. For more information you can contact Leslie Spoon at 681-0700 or lspoon@georgiasouthern.edu.



Be Smart about Safety

Be smart about keeping yourself and your possessions safe. Crime can and does happen on all college campuses, including Georgia Southern.



1. Always lock your door when you leave.
2. Do not loan your keys to other people.
3. Do not prop exterior doors to your hall.
4. Do not let people you do not know into your hall.
5. Report suspicious behavior to your RA or the police.
6. Do not walk alone at night; call 681-5234 for an escort.
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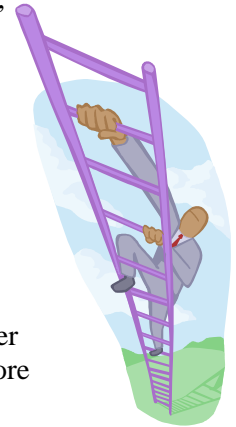
Career Services Career Corner

Employers look for several skills when interviewing candidates, and it is important that you try to acquire many of these skills while in school. According to a recent survey found in NACE's Job Choices 2008, communication skills are at the top of employers' list of skills sought in candidates.

The top five skills in order of importance include:

- Communication skills,
- Honesty/integrity,
- Interpersonal skills,
- Motivation/initiative, and
- Strong work ethic.

You may develop these skills by several methods including relevant experience, summer jobs, volunteer experience, leadership experience, and classroom activities. If you would like assistance in learning more about acquiring skills and experiences, please come by Career Services or call 681-5197.



University Events:

Tuesday, September 4th:

Leadership Series: Training New Members

Russell Union Room 2044: 5:30-6:30 pm

Presented by Sarah Smith, Associate Director of Admissions, and Robert Meguiar, Training Specialist for the Division of SAEM

Discuss the best ways to introduce new members to your organization! We'll talk about how to train, and retain, the new members of your group!

Wednesday, September 5th:

1st Wednesday Coffee House Series

Russell Union Commons: 7pm-9pm

FREE entertainment and food!!



Friday, September 7th:

Eagles After Dark: Demo, Dinner & Movie

Russell Union Ballroom: 9pm

Get a taste of what professional chefs learn at the Culinary Institute of America by attending our "Demo, Dinner & Movie." The 1 hour cooking demonstration and tasting highlights recipes and reflects the theme of our featured movie, Shrek 3.

PICK UP A FREE TICKET in the Office of Student Activities, Russell Union 1058.

RAC Fall Hours of Operation

August 11 - December 7

Monday-Thursday 6am - 11pm

Friday 6am - 9pm

Saturday 8am - 7pm

Sunday 11am - 11pm



Special hours on Labor Day

Monday September 4: 11am - 11pm

Does your room need a repair? Don't put it off!

Students or parents may report a needed repair in a residence hall room by visiting our website. Don't live all year with a burnt-out light bulb, or a drawer off track, or a broken towel bar. Put in a work order!

Go to www.gsuhousing.com
and click on "Work Orders."

An Ounce of Prevention Keeps the Germs Away



Clean Hands Often

Keeping your hands clean is one of the best ways to keep from getting sick and spreading illnesses.

Routinely Clean and Disinfect Surfaces

Cleaning and scrubbing with soap and water *removes* dirt and most germs. However, using a disinfectant cleaner *kills* germs, giving even better protection.

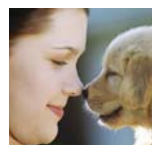


Handle and Prepare Food Safely

Clean hands and surfaces often. Don't cross-contaminate one food with another. Cook foods to proper temperatures. Refrigerate foods promptly.

Use Antibiotics Appropriately

Antibiotics don't work against viruses such as colds and the flu. Unnecessary antibiotics can be harmful. Antibiotics should be taken as prescribed by your doctor.



Be Careful with Pets

Pets should be routinely cared for by a vet. Always wash hands after contact with animals and animal wastes.

Get Immunized

Getting immunizations is easy, low-cost, and saves lives. Make sure you get all the shots suggested by your doctor.

