

GEORGIA SOUTHERN PARENT NEWS

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Greetings Georgia Southern Parents:

I hope your son/daughter is excited as they pack and get ready to move and start their new life at Georgia Southern University.

I know I am looking forward to working with you and the Parents Association as we plan a new exciting year.

If you have not received your **Parents Association membership cards**, you can pick them up in the Russell Union Room 2022. If this is not convenient for you, please email me and I will mail them to you.

I hope you will be able to come to campus and assist your child as they move into their new apartment or residence hall (see residence hall check-in procedures below). I also hope you will be able to attend some of the events that are planned.

The Parents Association invites you to the PARENTS BREAK AWAY RECEPTION

Take a few minutes out of your (?) busy "move-in day" schedule on August 13 and join me and other parents at the reception 11:30 am - 3:30 pm in the Russell Union room 2080. We will have light refreshments and cool (perhaps dry - depending on weather) environment. Take advantage of this opportunity for you to TAKE A BREAK and meet other PA members and GSU staff.

I also encourage you to attend the **Welcome Week Cookout** on Sweetheart Circle (or Russell Union Ballroom if it's raining) on Friday between 5:00 - 7:00 pm. We will have great food and entertainment.



Georgia Southern Administrative Offices will be open 8:00 am - 5:00 pm on Friday. I know some offices will be open on Saturday, but I have not received the final list at this time.



Please contact me if you have questions or concerns as you prepare to bring your son/daughter to start classes at Georgia Southern (remember classes start August 17).

As the Coordinator of Off-Campus Housing, I am trying to assist with move-in at various complexes. If your son/daughter will be living off-campus perhaps I will see you at the complex.



If your son/daughter will be living on campus, I to see you during Operation Move-In. University Housing has asked that I provide you with the following information on **Residence Hall Check-In Information:**

Residence Hall Check-In is on Friday, August 13, 2004. Your first stop for check-in will take Place at the RAC. (*The Recreation Activity Center (RAC) is located on Akins Blvd., which can be accessed from Forest Dr. or the By-pass.*)

After the RAC, you will then proceed to your hall to get moved in. To try and help with congestion and ease traffic flow on campus we recommend the following arrival times based on your last name:

A to G 9:00a.m. - 11:30a.m.
H to O 11:30a.m. - 2:00p.m.
P to Z 2:00p.m. - 4:30p.m.

If you arrive after 5:00pm on August 13th, please proceed to Sweetheart Circle to the All Campus Cookout, which begins at 5:00pm. (The Russell Union Ballroom is the rain location for cook-out). At 7:00pm you can check directly into your assigned residence hall. Bring your I.D. for check in.

Check-in on Saturday, August 14th and Sunday, August 15th, will be from 9:00 - 5:00pm at your assigned hall.

If you arrive after Noon on Monday the 16th without prior notification, your space will not be guaranteed.



Classes begin Tuesday, August 17th.

If you are in Statesboro this week/weekend, I look forward to seeing you at one of the events.

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