

Nazareth College Orientation Schedule 2009

Thursday, August 20

8:30 a.m. - 1:15 p.m. NEW RESIDENT STUDENTS MOVE IN.

- Follow move-in signs to parking lot for check-in information.
- Go to the Forum in the Shults Center to receive orientation materials. Many local banks and cell phone companies will be available.
- Parents are invited to the Shults center Reading Lounge for refreshments.

11:00 a.m. - 1:15 p.m. NEW COMMUTER STUDENTS ARRIVE

- Enter at the Arts Center parking lot then go to the Forum to pick up orientation materials.

11:15 a.m. - 1:15 p.m. LUNCH at the Pavilion. New students begin using your ID for meals. Complimentary tickets for family/guests available in the Forum. Rain location: Kearney and Lourdes Dining Halls.

1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

NEW PERSPECTIVES, NEW FRIENDS: Orientation Groups meet in the Forum and Cabaret.
PARENTS PROGRAM WORKSHOP, Kidera Gymnasium, Shults Center.

3:00 p.m. - 4:15 p.m. NEW STUDENT CONVOCATION, Kidera Gymnasium.

- New students will line up in the Forum at 2:45 p.m.
- Parents are encouraged to remain for this ceremony.

4:30 p.m. CLASS OF 2013 PHOTO, Golden Flyers Stadium

5:00 p.m. ORIENTATION GROUPS assemble and move to designated places.

5:15 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. DINNER, Kearney & Lourdes Dining Halls

6:45 p.m. - 8:15 p.m.

COMMUTING TO NAZARETH, Commuter Lounge: Commuter students meet with returning commuters to learn about commuter services and getting involved with NCA.

LIVING AT NAZARETH, Residence Halls: Resident students meet with the resident assistant (RA) of their floor.

8:15 p.m. - 9:15 p.m. ORIENTATION GROUPS meet at the designated places.

9:30 p.m. "Are you Smarter than an Orientation Leader?" Kidera Gymnasium, Shults Center

Friday, August 21

7:45 - 8:45 a.m. BREAKFAST, Dining Hall.

9:00 – 11:00 Freshmen:

- Presentation on General Academic Information (Mary Anne Parker-Hancock)
- First Year Resources Presentation and Tips from Faculty Member (Mary Anne Parker-Hancock, Marrlee Burgess and a faculty member)
- ITS presentation on using NazNet, Blackboard, etc. & Bookstore information

9:15 – 11:00 Transfers:

- 9:15-10:00 Library Orientation (Jennifer Burr)
- 10:05-11:00 ITS presentation on using NazNet, Blackboard, etc. & Bookstore information

11:00 a.m. - 12noon ADVISOR/ADVISEE Meeting All new students (freshmen and transfers) will meet their faculty advisors. Meeting places will be posted.

11:30 a.m. - 12:45p.m. LUNCH available in the dining halls, continuous as meetings finish

1:00 - 2:15 p.m. **Small Group Discussions of *Three Cups of Tea, One Man's Mission to Promote Peace...One School at a Time*** by Greg Mortenson and David Oliver Relin Orientation groups will be facilitated by faculty and staff members. This is required summer reading for our freshmen and optional for transfers. This will provide a common learning experience for new students, faculty and staff.

2:15 - 4:30 p.m. FREE TIME! Open time slot for students to take care of business (billing, financial aid, bookstore, etc.)

2:15-3:15 p.m. School of Education Dessert Reception and Advisor/Advisee Meetings – 2nd floor, GOLISANO ACADEMIC CENTER

- Students majoring in Inclusive Childhood/Middle Childhood Education – meet with INCL major advisor and enjoy dessert
- Students pursuing the Adolescence and Adolescence Inclusive certification programs – attend the reception

2:30-3:30 p.m. Music Department Open House for ensemble information – A4 Rehearsal Hall

3:30 - 4:30 p.m. INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS RECEPTION @ Casa Italiana

4:30 - 5:00 p.m. ORIENTATION GROUPS meet. CLASS OF 2013 PHOTO (rain date)

5:00 - 6:45 p.m. DINNER Kearney & Lourdes Dining Halls.

8:00 - 9:00 p.m. ORIENTATION GROUPS meet, Shults Center Gym

9:00- 12:00 a.m. CASINO NIGHT, Kidera Gymnasium

Saturday, August 22

8:45 - 9:40 a.m. CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST, Kearney Dining Hall

9:40 a.m. ORIENTATION GROUPS meet at designated places before morning workshops.

9:45 - 10:45 a.m. ORIENTATION TO WORK STUDY JOB FAIR: Mike Kahl, Director of Career Services, will explain the process of finding a work study job and verify eligibility for Sunday's job fair.

10:45 - 12:00 p.m. SEXUAL VICTIMIZATION PREVENTION WORKSHOPS: Presented by Peer Facilitators.

11:45 a.m. - 1:15 p.m. LUNCH, Kearney Dining Hall.

1:15 p.m. COMMUNITY SERVICE DAY

- Orientation groups will assemble in the gym to prepare for Community Service.
- Buses leave from the Shults Center at 1:30 p.m.

5:30 p.m. DINNER with Orientation group, Kidera gymnasium

9:00 p.m. MOVIE in the Shults Center Forum

10:00 p.m. - 12:30 a.m. MIXER Shults Center Cabaret

Sunday, August 23

11:15 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. BRUNCH, Kearney Dining Hall

1:00 - 1:30 p.m. COMMUNITY SERVICE IN REVIEW

- Orientation groups meet in designated places to discuss yesterday's experience.
- Group feedback will help to plan for next year's program.

1:45 - 2:30 p.m. MEET THE UA: Student government officers introduce themselves and present opportunities to get involved on campus.

2:30 - 3:30 p.m. SAFETY AND SECURITY: Meet Bobby Maldonado, Director of Campus Safety, and members of his staff

4:00 - 5:15 p.m. WORK STUDY JOB FAIR, Shults Center Gym

- On-campus employers will be available to talk to students with work study
- Students should bring their class schedule and be prepared to interview.
- Don't forget the Orientation on Saturday morning!

5:00 p.m. ALL CAMPUS PICNIC, Pavilion

- Food, conversation, and music for all.

6:00 p.m. CENTER FOR SPIRITUALITY OPEN HOUSE for first year students, 1st floor, Golisano Academic Center. Come and enjoy a festive chocolate fountain and a gathering of students from all faiths/beliefs/philosophies.

7:00 p.m. Opening Services and Receptions for first year and returning students: Catholic Mass, Protestant Worship, and Receptions for: Hillel (Jewish students), MSA (Muslim students) and AASH (Atheist, Agnostic, and Secular Humanist students). 1st floor, Golisano Academic Center

8:00 p.m. on FLOOR MEETINGS in Residence Halls held throughout the evening, check with your R.A. for the exact time of your meeting.

Tuesday, August 25

12:10- 1:30 p.m. ALANA (African, Latin, Asian, Native American) Student Open Forum/Reception., Porthole Lounge, Shults Center

Friday, August 28

COLLEGE NIGHT at the ROCHESTER RED WINGS BASEBALL GAME

- Buses leave at 5:45 p.m.
- 7:05 p.m. game followed by fireworks
- Buses return to campus by 11:00 p.m.
- Limited reserved seating for Rochester Area College Students
- Free for new students—you must claim your ticket and seat for the bus by Tuesday, August 25

Saturday, August 29

DARIEN LAKE TRIP

Buses leave at 12:30 p.m.

Limited reserved seating, \$5 tickets for new students available at the Info Desk in Shults Center.

Buses return to campus by 9:30 p.m.

Thursday, September 3

12noon—1:30 p.m. CLUB FAIR, Shults Center.

- Representatives of the 50 clubs and organizations of the UA will present information and invite new students to get involved. All UA clubs have open membership.

Friday-Sunday, September 4-6

Freshfest: open to all first year students, watch for invitations and details about this Labor Day Weekend extravaganza.