

Monday, August 31, 2015

Fall semester kicks off with Welcome Week Sept. 2-12

The Oakland University community will usher in a new semester with a fun-filled lineup of events during Welcome Week. Set for **Sept. 2-12**, the week will offer many opportunities for students to enjoy a festive atmosphere, meet new friends and learn about campus resources.

“There’s something for everyone – receptions, picnics, open houses, student and Greek organization fairs, live music, movies, even an annual pig roast and carnival,” said Jean Ann Miller, director of the **Center for Student Activities and Leadership Development**.

“There’s lots of *free* food, T-shirts, giveaways, and entertainment throughout OU's Welcome Week. This should inspire students to get involved while at OU!”



New Student Convocation, the official start of a student's academic career, will be held on Wednesday, Sept. 2.

Welcome Week highlights include:

Wednesday, Sept. 2

Orientation and New Student Programs: Orientation II - New Student Convocation, Academic Open Houses and Involvement Fair. *All first-year students are required to complete Orientation II.* **Confirm your attendance.**

- Check-in: Noon, *Elliott Tower* (**Students will need their student ID at check-in**)
- Convocation: 1-2 p.m., *O'rena, Recreation and Athletics Center*
- Academic Open Houses: 3-4 p.m., *Main Campus*
- Involvement Fair: 4:15-5:15, *Outdoors, Between the Oakland Center and Kresge Library (Rainsite: Oakland Center)*

Thursday, Sept. 10

Center for Student Activities and Student Activities Funding Board: "GrizzFest" for Student & Greek Organizations, Club Sports, Community Businesses and Volunteer Opportunities

11 a.m.-2 p.m.

The Mall in front of Kresge Library (**Rain Date: Tuesday, Sept. 15**)

Friday, Sept. 11

Sigma Pi Fraternity 21st Annual Pig Roast and Student Program Board Carnival

4-11 p.m.

North side of the Oakland Center

For a complete listing of Welcome Week events and activities, view the **PDF flyer**. Find campus parking and traffic information at oakland.edu/parking and maps of campus at oakland.edu/map.