

Parents CONNECTIONS

A SPECIAL HARLAXTON COLLEGE ISSUE



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“Travel is fatal to bigotry, prejudice, and narrow mindedness.” – Mark Twain



This quote from Mark Twain has been part of our daughter’s computer wallpaper since she returned from her semester of study at Harlaxton College 13 months ago. Study abroad is the best way to help our children develop a world perspective. The Harlaxton experience is part of the standard fare at University of Evansville. As prospective UE

parents, we marveled at the idea that a small college would make it a point to encourage all students to spend a semester overseas. We were impressed that the basic cost of a full semester of study abroad was the same as a full semester of study on our main campus. The UE philosophy, emphasizing the importance of overseas study, coupled with the “package” approach that reduces additional expenses to airfare and a couple of required field trips, were among the deal-closers convincing the Slusser family that the University of Evansville was the right choice for Stephanie.

While families with students at other schools searched for how to fund a semester – or at least a few weeks – of study abroad, we simply watched airfares, waiting for the best moment to book her flight. There were, of course, a number of extra opportunities for side trips, and each of these increased expenses. We encouraged her to take on as many as we felt we could afford – and before it was over we found a way for her to spend an extra nine days on a tour of Italy with others from the Harlaxton crowd. Optional trips notwithstanding, UE offers the most practical, economical approach to study abroad that we have seen in more than two decades as educators.

Of course, we had to plan a trip to visit her while she was there. It was our first trip overseas, and our planning skills in that regard were sorely lacking. Earl Kirk, UE’s director of study abroad, was tremendously helpful in answering questions, but we really needed advice and counsel from other parents. Upon raising the issue at subsequent Parent Council meetings we learned that other members agreed that this was an area where the Parents Association could help to fill a void. Our goal is to develop a network of UE parents and alumni parents who can support one another in the Harlaxton experience.

Harlaxton College is the subject of this edition of Parents Connections. Our goals are to help spread the word about this gem in the Evansville experience and to develop a support network for parents to answer questions and offer counsel as other parents

and students plan for their semester at Harlaxton. A Harlaxton forum for parents is in the works. We hope it will be available online by October of this year. If you have sent your student, or made the pilgrimage yourself, we hope you will consider serving as a resource for others. If so, we encourage you to contact Angela Williams at aw162@evansville.edu.

We hope you enjoy this edition of Parents Connections and our spotlight on Harlaxton College. Harlaxton is one of many components of UE’s comprehensive effort to provide life-transforming educational experiences that prepare students to engage the world as informed, ethical, and productive citizens.

Until next time,

Dean Slusser
St. Marys, Georgia

Susan Slusser

The Slussers are chairs of the UE Parents Council. Their daughter, Stephanie, is a senior in theatre management.



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The British Campus of the
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Harlaxton Online Forum

The University of Evansville will launch a Harlaxton College online discussion forum in October. This forum is designed to be a community for parents to discuss their experiences as their children are studying abroad at Harlaxton or to ask questions if their children may attend Harlaxton in the future. The forum includes discussion topics such as travel tips, preparation, finances, and parent visits.

All parents of UE students are welcome to join the forum. We hope that by sharing your experiences and interacting with a community of other parents, you will gain a richer understanding of your child’s Harlaxton experience.

If you have any questions about the Harlaxton online forum, please contact Angela Williams, assistant director of alumni and parent relations, at aw162@evansville.edu or 812-488-2586. Update your e-mail address by going to www.evansville.edu/parents and clicking on “Keeping In Touch.”

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Kapolei, Hawaii

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To contact any of the Parents Council members, please call UE's Office of Alumni and Parent Relations at 812-488-2586.



A Message for Parents: Harlaxton is *Study* Abroad

“Okay, okay, what are you all about, really? I mean, a patchy batch of American students coming to a glorious British manor house for “college in a castle”? Get serious. It’s really an excuse to travel, isn’t it, on someone else’s money? Get serious.

What are you all about, really?”

He asked me with a straight face, this cynic of an American professor who was just passing through on a summer junket of his own (on someone else’s money!); and I answered him with a straight face. I am pleased to offer the same answer to parents, and with great pride.

What we are about at Harlaxton is education of the highest order – intense and personal and total. We have got it all together, or are getting there. “X-treme! Education,” the kids might say. As a Western Kentucky honors student put it: “Harlaxton – Education on Steroids!”

Harlaxton is a different, and a special, kind of place. No drive-through, cheap mind-meal MacStudy. No fragmenting, no splitting apart, of the living and the working and the learning. No gawking tourism masquerading as academic work. At Harlaxton College, we are serious about education, real education, and the learning never stops. It is continuous, each part reinforcing and complementing the other.

The classes, which are intense, use core lectures and seminars following the British model – reading, thinking, and writing instead of just listening, remembering, and repeating. There is a lot of writing, and it is difficult, with demanding essay exams and papers. Our students are scared at first, but they step up to the challenge and show what they can do.

There is more. The magnificent Harlaxton manor house is itself a teacher, a teacher of art and architecture and aesthetics and domestic economy and history and heritage. We live inside our lesson, every day!

Then, we deliberately connect exciting travels to the classroom work. As Professor Edward Bujak says, “We study Lincoln Cathedral or Lincoln Castle, read about it, then we go and touch it, feel it, see it!” We read about London, then we go there. Or Ireland. Or Paris. Or Oxford or Cambridge or Edinburgh.

We learn from living and dining together, talking not just about parties but also about the big issues of life. We learn from lectures and concerts in our great hall. We learn from contacts with local host families, from going to local churches, from competing with local sports teams. (How do the Lincoln “Lightning” and Sleaford “Storm” strike you, or RAF Cranwell, the British Air Force Academy? These are some of the teams we play.)

Because all students live in, because we are a small community, because all of us take the same core course and read the same set of books, because all are expatriates in a “new” old world, because faculty members and students are in close daily interaction all the time, the opportunities for intensified learning are remarkable, indeed.

At Harlaxton, we are a true collegium – a gathering of those more knowledgeable and experienced with those less so, living and learning together around the great ideas of a great culture.

It is a small wonder that students find it life changing. My own sons did (one is now a professor at Georgia Tech and the other an author and educator in Japan). The intensity of a Harlaxton education, the need to be independent, the call to excel in a new environment – these create a growth that amazes parents and students and faculties.

It is heady stuff, and we embrace it with right good zest – together.

Gordon Kingsley, PhD
Principal of Harlaxton College

Now that Your Child Is Going to Harlaxton, How Do You Prepare?



Congratulations on your decision to assist your student in attending Harlaxton College, the British campus of the University of Evansville! Generations of Harlaxton students have declared their semester in the UK to be their most transforming educational experience.

It is only natural to be excited about such a great possibility, and it is natural to be a bit anxious. Rest assured that the staff at Harlaxton College and at the Office of Study Abroad in Evansville will work tirelessly to make this a good experience. All Harlaxton students go through a formal orientation program that extends over the semester prior to departure for the UK. We meet regularly and also conduct business via e-mail and the Internet to attend to the nuts and bolts of studying abroad. We also send packets to parents to keep them abreast of our work – and to enlist their help!

So, how can you help?

- **Be excited!** Share the enthusiasm your student is feeling. Your approval counts a lot. You now have a common project that will involve the whole family.
- **Encourage your student to start planning for academics!** Harlaxton classes are posted on the Web site more than a year into the future, so it is easy to start planning a class schedule well in advance. Encourage your student to work early with an academic advisor to map out the Harlaxton semester (when to go and what to take).
- **Send your student to see us!** The Office of Study Abroad is open daily from 8:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. – often earlier and often later! Barbara Pieroni, the assistant director, and I are here to assist and are happy to work with students. In addition, we host workshops on how to apply for study abroad, organize the orientation program mentioned earlier, and conduct a post-return follow-up with your students.
- **Get started early on paperwork!** As you can imagine, there is a lot of paperwork when studying abroad. The good news is that none of it is very hard, and we are here to help. The secret to success is to get started early. Your student may need your help in getting the necessary items to apply for a passport. They will also need proof of health insurance, photographs, and a com-

pleted health form. We will send out information about optional group air tickets to the UK, but you may want to make your own arrangements. We will supply the key dates once orientation begins for each group. Of course, encourage your student to attend the required orientation meetings and to read the handouts.

- **Plan for cultural growth!** Harlaxton provides outstanding opportunities for cultural growth through the curriculum, especially the British studies course, which includes three field trips to places studied in the course. Optional weekend travel provides even more opportunity for growth. Harlaxton-sponsored trips will be posted on the Web site many months before departure, and many students plan their own independent travel after arrival in the UK. The Meet-a-Family program is available to students who want a firsthand glimpse of everyday life in England.
- **Talk openly about personal budgeting and expectations!** The costs for tuition, room, board, and fees at Harlaxton are nearly the same as in Evansville and financial aid applies just as at home. That means additional costs are related to an air ticket and optional travel. Travel can be done lavishly or on a shoestring. Openly discuss how the semester will be financed – who will pay for the extra costs. Will you be helping? Great! Will your student need to take an extra job? Great! Just be clear and up front. Also be clear that alcohol, which can be consumed legally in the UK by 18-year-olds, is expensive. It can wreck a travel budget, so talk it over with your student.
- **Give your student some space to grow!** This is a time for help and support, but it is not a time to be a helicopter parent. Your student is bright – we know that already or Harlaxton would not have been an option. Let him or her make decisions and allow room to grow. Remember that the son or daughter you send abroad will not be the same person who returns. Listen when he or she returns – he or she will be full of stories and will want to share new views about the world. You will like the result. Prepare to be impressed!

Earl Kirk, *Director of Study Abroad*
E-mail: ek43@evansville.edu

Family Weekend

Please join us for the University of Evansville's 40th annual Family Weekend.

Coordinated by the Office of Alumni and Parent Relations, this year Family Weekend will be held on September 26, 27, and 28. The event offers a diverse schedule of social, athletic, informational, and cultural activities for your family.

Parents, grandparents, and other family members are invited to see campus through your students' eyes, meet their new friends and neighbors, and connect with other UE parents, families, and alumni who are part of our thriving University of Evansville community!

Register for Family Weekend online at www.evansville.edu/parents or by mail with this registration form, and be sure to check

in once you arrive on campus (students may check in for their parents). Area accommodations are listed on page 7, and many hotels offer discounts for UE families. We look forward to welcoming you to campus September 26-28!

Meet the Deadline, Get a Discount

Register to attend before September 12 and receive a coupon good for a 15 percent discount at the University bookstore during Family Weekend.

Questions? Contact the Office of Alumni and Parent Relations at 812-488-2586 or 800-423-8633, ext. 2586, or by e-mail at UEParentRelations@evansville.edu.

Student Fitness Center

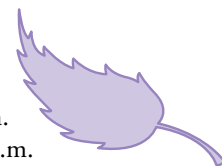
Hours of Operation

Friday, September 26, 6:30 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.

Saturday, September 27, 11:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Sunday, September 28, 11:30 - 9:00 p.m.

Free and open to visitors during Family Weekend.



Family Weekend Schedule of Events

The event schedule is subject to change. For an up-to-date schedule, please visit www.evansville.edu/parents.

Friday, September 26

Every Friday is Purple Friday at UE. Be sure to wear your UE school colors!

5:00 - 10:00 p.m.

Check-in

Lobby, Schroeder Family School of Business Administration Building

Check in when you arrive on campus. Pick up a schedule of events, a campus map, an Aces athletics pass, a complete list of academic sessions, refreshments, and a warm UE welcome!

7:00 p.m.

Aces Men's Soccer

UE vs. Centenary
Arad McCutchan Stadium
Free with an Aces Athletics Pass

7:00 p.m.

Aces Volleyball

UE vs. Southern Illinois
Carson Center
Free with an Aces Athletics Pass

8:00 p.m.

UE Theatre Production*

The Front Page
Shanklin Theatre
Discounted tickets \$8



Saturday, September 27

8:00 a.m. - noon

Check-in

Krannert Gallery, Krannert Hall of Fine Arts

Check in and receive a schedule of events, a campus map, an Aces athletics pass, a complete list of academic sessions, refreshments, and a warm UE welcome!

8:00 a.m.

Continental Breakfast

Krannert Gallery, Krannert Hall of Fine Arts

8:30 a.m.

Family Weekend Kickoff

Welcome from President Jennings
Followed by
The Evansville Experience:
A Month in Pictures
Wheeler Concert Hall

For Parents – Informational Sessions

9:30 - 10:30 a.m.

Harlaxton College and Study Abroad

Room 71, Schroeder Family School of Business Administration Building
Learn about Harlaxton College and other exciting study abroad programs.

9:30 - 10:30 a.m. and
10:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Your Son or Daughter Is Greek ... What Does That Mean?

Room 73, Schroeder Family School of Business Administration Building

Greek life information – philanthropic involvement, events, and opportunities – will be shared.

9:30 - 10:30 a.m. and
10:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Career Services: The Four-Year Journey Along a Career Path

Room 75, Schroeder Family School of Business Administration Building

Learn about the outstanding resources and services available to help your student along his or her career path, from the freshman to the senior year!

For Parents – Academic Sessions

9:50 - 10:25 a.m. and
10:40 - 11:15 a.m.

Academic Fair

Location to be announced

Walk through the Academic Fair and meet faculty members from across campus. Explore areas other than the one your child has chosen. Admission ambassadors and members of Student Alumni Ambassadors will direct you to the buildings.

11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Picnic with the President

South Lawn, Schroeder Family School of Business Administration Building

(Rain Location: Small Gym, Carson Center)

Picnic fare includes burgers, hot dogs, veggie burgers, potato salad, coleslaw, fruit salad, chips, cookies, and drinks. Come enjoy!

Preregistration is preferred, but walk-ups are welcome.

\$12 per person

2:00 p.m.

Tour of the Ridgway University Center

3:00 p.m.

Family Weekend Concert

Wheeler Concert Hall
The Department of Music's annual Family Weekend Concert features the expansive talent of UE's music students and faculty. Arrive early; it is usually standing room only!

4:00 p.m.

Parents Council Meeting

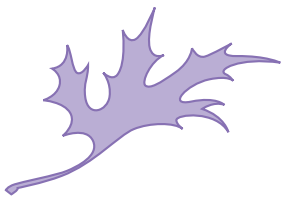
Room 271, Schroeder Family School of Business Administration Building

8:00 p.m.

UE Theatre Production*

Shanklin Theatre
Discounted tickets \$8





Parking on Campus

Visitors are welcome to park on the front oval. Additional parking lots are open at the corners of Lincoln and Rotherwood Avenues, Lincoln and Weinbach Avenues, and Walnut Street and Rotherwood Avenue.

Bookstore Extended Hours

Thursday and Friday:
8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Saturday: 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Sunday: Closed

8:00 p.m.

SAB Student Talent Show

Student Fitness Center

The Student Activity Board's annual talent show provides laughs and entertainment! Parents whose tickets are drawn at the door have the chance to be honorary parent judges.

Show is free.

Sunday, September 28

9:00 a.m.

Mass

Neu Chapel

After Mass

Catholic Campus Ministry Open House
Newman Center, 1901 Lincoln Avenue

10:30 a.m.

University Worship Service

Neu Chapel

University chaplain Brian Erickson will officiate.

2:00 p.m.

UE Theatre Production*

Shanklin Theatre

Discounted tickets \$8

During Family Weekend Only

- A free pass to athletic events
- Free workout at the Student Fitness Center
- Coupons
- Extended hours at the University Bookstore

*Students receive free tickets at the ticket office on the day of the show.

Family Weekend Registration

To register for Family Weekend online, go to www.evansville.edu/parents. To register by telephone, call 812-488-2586 or 800-423-8633, ext. 2586. You may also complete and mail in this registration form.

Please send registration to the Office of Alumni and Parent Relations, 1800 Lincoln Avenue, Evansville, Indiana, 47222. **Registration deadline is September 12, 2008.**

Name _____

Address _____

City, State, Zip Code _____

Telephone _____

E-mail _____

Number Attending _____

Names of All Attending _____

Student's Name _____



	Number Attending	Charge Per Person	Total
Aces Soccer Game	_____ x	No Charge*	\$ _____
Aces Volleyball Game	_____ x	No Charge*	\$ _____
UE Theatre Production (check day) <input type="checkbox"/> Friday <input type="checkbox"/> Saturday <input type="checkbox"/> Sunday	_____ x	\$8	\$ _____
Harlaxton and Study Abroad Session	_____ x	No Charge	\$ _____
Career Services Session	_____ x	No Charge	\$ _____
Your Son or Daughter Is Greek	_____ x	No Charge	\$ _____
Picnic with the President	_____ x	\$12	\$ _____
Family Weekend Concert	_____ x	No Charge	\$ _____
SAB Talent Show	_____ x	No Charge	\$ _____

Total Due \$ _____

Method of Payment

Payment Enclosed
(make checks payable to the University of Evansville)

Charge to : Visa MasterCard Discover

Card Number _____

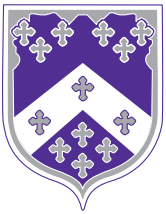
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(last three digits of number on back of credit card)

Signature _____

If you have additional questions or need more information, please e-mail the Office of Alumni and Parent Relations at UEParentRelations@evansville.edu or call 812-488-2586.

*Free with an Aces athletics pass, available at check-in

www.evansville.edu/parents



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Program Fees per Semester 2008-2009

Tuition, Room, Board	\$ 16,575.00
Student Activity Fee	162.50
Health and Wellness Fee.....	100.00
Technology Fee.....	95.00
Comprehensive British Services Fee (nonrefundable).....	400.00

- London airport pick-up* and/or return on designated date
- Shuttle service between Harlaxton College and Grantham
- British studies course field trips: transportation and entrance fees

Total Cost: \$ 17,332.50†

Additional Expenses:

Roundtrip Airfare (estimated).....	\$ 800-1,000
Personal Expenses and Reasonable Travel (estimated)	\$4,000-5,000

Transport and/or placement fees assessed for students of: nursing	\$350
education	\$85

Yearbook Fee (optional, payable at Harlaxton)	£20
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For a UE student who lives on campus, you will see that the charges for a semester at Harlaxton are virtually identical to the charges on the Evansville campus. In some cases, the charges are less than in Evansville, depending on the housing unit. In all cases, the Harlaxton meal plan is more generous than the Evansville meal plan. In reality, the extra cost is the British Services fee – \$400 – and the cost of an air ticket and optional travel.

Harlaxton College Admission Requirements

Before students apply to Harlaxton College, we ask you to read the following information carefully. To be eligible to attend Harlaxton College, students must fulfill the following requirements:

- Students should be a college sophomore, junior, or senior at the time of attendance.
- Students should be in good academic standing. A GPA of 2.5 or higher is recommended.
- Students will need their academic advisor's approval.
- Students will need their dean of student's approval.
- International students will be required to show proof of advanced English language skills.

www.harlaxton.ac.uk

*You must arrive on the designated date by 10:30 a.m. to be transported to Harlaxton College.

†Most UE student financial aid applies to Harlaxton. Please confirm with the Office of Financial Aid.



Area Accommodations

We invite you to visit for Family Weekend, to participate in a Parents Association activity, to attend a special performance or athletics event, or simply to spend time with your student. The following list of hotels is provided to help you plan your stay while in Evansville. Many of the hotels offer discounted rates for families visiting UE; be sure to mention you are a UE parent and inquire about special rates when you make your reservation. Hotel personnel will be happy to give you detailed directions to their locations.

Establishment	Telephone Number
Baymont Inn	877-229-6668
Comfort Inn East	877-424-6423
Cool Breeze Bed & Breakfast	812-422-9635
Days Inn East	800-329-7466
Drury Inn & Suites Evansville East	800-378-7946
Drury Inn Evansville North	800-378-7946
Evansville Airport Marriott	800-853-5728
Evansville Plaza Hotel	888-804-3790
Executive Inn Evansville	877-424-0888
Fairfield Inn by Marriott Evansville East	800-228-2800
Fairfield Inn by Marriott Evansville West	800-228-2801
Hampton Inn	800-426-7866
Hilton Garden Inn	812-476-4000
Holiday Inn Conference Center	888-465-4329
Holiday Inn Express East	888-465-4329
Holiday Inn Express West	888-465-4329
Homelife Studios & Suites	866-941-1700
Jameson Inn	800-526-3766
Lee's Inn	800-733-5337
Le Merigot Hotel	888-633-1770
Quality Inn & Suites	877-424-6423
Residence Inn	800-331-3131

Do you have a personal review of these or other accommodations or restaurants in Evansville?

E-mail your comments to ueparentrelations@evansville.edu with "reviews" in the subject line, and we may include them on our Web site as a resource for other UE parents visiting Evansville.

2008-09 Parents' Fund Campaign

Are U up for the Challenge!

About this time every year, the University of Evansville sends out a strong message to its students, challenging them to make the most of their college experience as they embark on a new school year. By studying hard, getting involved, making great friends and lasting memories, students live up to the UE challenge.

Now we challenge UE parents to do the same. During the 2008-09 school year, we challenge all parents to go above and beyond and make a commitment to UE students. As a parent of a UE student you have a significant impact on your child's college experience.

The unrestricted gifts received from the annual Parents' Fund campaign enable the University to offer programs, scholarships, extra educational opportunities, and resources that may not otherwise be available.

With the start of the 2008-09 fiscal year, the Parents' Fund has a fund-raising goal of \$35,000. Let's work together to reach the goal so that our UE students receive the best education possible. Let's meet the UE challenge.

Every gift to the Parents' Fund, no matter the size, is meaningful. Please consider supporting UE's Parents' Fund today! Gifts may be made online at www.evansville.edu/givingtoue/givingform.asp or by calling 812-488-4065.

Thank you for your support – past, present, and future! If you have any comments or suggestions regarding the Parents' Fund campaign, please do not hesitate to contact Monica Spencer at ms323@evansville.edu.

www.evansville.edu/parents

Campus Contacts

Office of Safety and Security
Emergencies: 812-471-6911
Office: 812-488-2051
Web: safetyandsecurity.evansville.edu

Crayton E. and
Ellen Mann Health Center
812-488-2033

Center for Student Engagement
812-488-2371
Web: www.evansville.edu/prospects/studentlife

Office of Alumni and
Parent Relations
812-488-2586 or 800-423-8633,
ext. 2586
Web: www.evansville.edu/parents

Office of Career Services and Coop-
erative Education
812-488-2663
Web: careerservices.evansville.edu

Office of Financial Aid
812-488-2364
Web: www.evansville.edu/prospects/financialaid

Office of the Registrar
812-488-2600
Web: www.evansville.edu/academics/registrationinfo

Office of Religious Life
812-488-2240
Web: religiouslife.evansville.edu

Office of Residence Life
812-488-2956
Web: residencelife.evansville.edu

Office of Student Accounts
812-488-2565

UE Switchboard
812-488-2000

Athletics Ticket Office
812-488-2237
Web: www.gopurpleaces.com

Shanklin Theatre Ticket Office
812-488-2031
Web: theatre.evansville.edu

University Bookstore
812-488-2678
Web: www.evansville.edu/bookstore

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Residence Life Corner

Moving in this August!

SOAR III Freshmen and STAR Transfers

If you are attending SOAR III or STAR, you may move into your residence hall between 8:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m. on Thursday, August 21.

Freshmen and Transfer Students

All other freshmen and transfer students may move in between 8:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. on Saturday, August 23. Check-in will be at your assigned residence hall.

Upperclassmen

All upperclassmen may move in between Sunday, August 24, and Tuesday, August 26, between 10:00 a.m. and 10:00 p.m. Check-in will be at your assigned residence hall.

Note: Village check-ins will be located in North Hall.

Meal Plan Information

While the residence halls are open on the above dates, please be aware that regular food service operations are not in place until the evening of Tuesday, August 26.

Meal Plan Changes

Students wishing to adjust their fall semester meal plans may do so until Thursday, September 4, at 5:00 p.m.

Breaks and Holidays – Fall 2008

Labor Day (Classes in Session) Monday, September 1

Fall Break (residence halls remain open, no meal service)
Saturday, October 11-14

Last meal served before Fall Break – Dinner on Friday, October 10

First meal served after Fall Break – Dinner on Tuesday, October 14

Classes Resume Wednesday, October 15

Thanksgiving Break (residence halls remain open, no meal service) Wednesday, November 26-30

Last meal served before Thanksgiving Break – Dinner on Tuesday, November 25

First meal served after Thanksgiving Break – Dinner on Sunday, November 30

Classes Resume Monday, December 1

Winter Break (residence halls are closed) Thursday, December 18, 2008 – Tuesday, January 6, 2009

Last meal served before Winter Break – Dinner on Wednesday, December 17

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