Family Weekend
ASHLAND UNIVERSITY | 2013

Family Weekend 2013 promises to be full of fun and excitement! Activities that appeal to all families are planned. Your time can be spent visiting the campus, cheering on the Eagles, taking in a theatre production or participating in several of our other fun activities!

While event reservations are not required, we ask that you let us know if you are attending by registering at www.ashland.edu/parents or by filling out the enclosed reservation form. This will allow us to better prepare for the day's events.

Friday, September 27

Classes
Parents are invited to attend Friday classes with their student(s). Please have your son or daughter verify your attendance with his/her professors.

Open Recreation
3 p.m. – 10:30 p.m. | Recreation Center
Join us for family fun in the Recreation Center! The entire facility will be open for students to use with their families. Climbing Wall Hours: 3 p.m. – 8 p.m., Pool Hours: 6 p.m. - 9 p.m.

Soccer Game
7 p.m. | Ferguson Soccer Field
AU Women's Soccer vs. Findlay University

Outdoor Movie Night
8:30 p.m. | Founders Hall Lawn
(Rain Location: Student Center Auditorium)
You bring the blankets; we'll provide the family-friendly movie, Monsters University! Snacks will be provided.

Mike Wazowski and James P. Sullivan are an inseparable pair, but that wasn't always the case. From the moment these two mismatched monsters met they couldn't stand each other. "Monsters University" unlocks the door to how Mike and Sulley overcame their differences and became the best of friends. (Rated G)

Theatre Production
7:30 p.m., Studio Theatre | Center for the Arts
"Night Train to Bolina" by Nilo Cruz
Directed by Fabio Polanco
In a war-torn, unidentified country in Latin America, two children use fantasy as a means of escaping the calamity of combat, as well as their own abuses and impoverished lives. Starving, battered, neglected, and looking for a way to flee the guerrilla warfare ravishing their home, Mateo and Clara flee their devastated rural village for the city of Bolina, a mythical metropolis where "kites go to die. Dancing on a fine line between innocent fantasy and harsh reality, Mateo and Clara explore their imaginations in a world of dark mysticism and denied love.

Tickets: $10 adult; $9 faculty/staff, seniors, non-AU students; $8 groups of 10 or more; $2 AU students. For tickets or more information, please contact the Box Office at 419.289.5125. Hours are Monday-Friday, noon-6 p.m. (The AU Box Office opens on September 3rd.) Tickets may be purchased online at www.ashland.edu/tickets.

Mark Your Calendar
September 27-29, 2013
Saturday, September 28

Family Weekend Souvenir Stop
9 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. | Student Center Lobby
Stop by and strike a pose for a fantastic family keepsake photo! Receive 2 per family while supplies last.

Teddy Bear Service Project
9 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. | Student Center Lobby
We invite you to participate in our annual Teddy Bear Drive! The Student Senate Teddy Bear drive has brought comfort to children in the Ashland area for over a decade. Donated new teddy bears and stuffed animals are provided to the local police department to share with children involved in car accidents and traumatic events. Approximately 200 - 400 new teddy bears and stuffed animals are donated annually. We encourage families to bring a new teddy bear or stuffed animal as a donation to support this cause. Drop off your donations in the Student Center Lobby.

Tuffy’s Brunch Break
10 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. | Eagles’ Nest, Student Center
This is a free event - Reservations are requested
Join Tuffy at the Eagles’ Nest! Both parents and students will enjoy the opportunity to mingle with the University’s administration and staff and the Ashland University Parents Association. A light breakfast will be provided.

A staff member of the office of Global Education will be available to answer questions regarding upcoming tours. For information on upcoming tours, please visit our website http://ashland.abroadoffice.net/2014.html. A staff member of the Career Services Center will be also available to answer career-related questions. Recreational Services will offer free chair massages by one of our certified massage therapists.

Llama in Red Pajamas Breakfast
10 a.m. | Upper Convo | Tickets required
Recommended for children 10 years old and under with an accompanying adult. Join the Ashland University Campus Store and AU G.I.V.S. for a Breakfast Buffet featuring the Llama from Llama Llama Misses Mama and Llama Llama Red Pajamas. The Breakfast Buffet menu includes French Toast, fruit, muffins, juice, coffee, tea. A special Llama Llama Storytime will follow in the Ashland University Campus Store! Tickets are $6.50 per person and can be purchased at the Ashland University Campus Store beginning on September 2. For more information, or to purchase tickets, please call the AU Campus Store at 419.269.3336 or www.ashlandbookstore.com.

Lunch
11 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. | Student Dining Hall | Lower Convo Center
Cost per person: Adults: $10.80 | Children (4-10): $5.40. Students on a meal plan may choose to use a “guest swipe” in lieu of payment.

Open Recreation
Noon – 10:30 p.m. | Recreation Center
Join us for family fun in the Recreation Center! The entire facility will be open for students to use with their families. Climbing Wall Hours: 3 p.m. – 8 p.m., Pool Hours: Noon – 9 p.m.

Mentalist: Wayne Hoffman
2 p.m. | Upper Convo
This is a free event - Reservations are requested
Prepare to be amazed! Wayne Hoffman is one of the most powerful and extreme mentalists in the world. He was featured on NBC’s hit TV show “Phenomenon,” The Glenn Beck Show, TLC, The Discovery Network and The Ellen DeGeneres Show. Wayne has performed for thousands of audiences in some of the most elite venues across the world and continues to be ranked one of the top ten entertainers in his field. We’ll be raffling off lots of Ashland University merchandise during this event!

Dinner
4 p.m. – 6:30 p.m. | Student Dining Hall | Lower Convo Center
Cost per person: Adults: $10.80 | Children ages 4-10: $5.40. Students on a meal plan may choose to use a “guest swipe” in lieu of payment.

Tuffy’s Spirit Station
5:30 p.m. – 7 p.m. | Amstutz Hall parking lot
This is a free event - Reservations are requested
Get ready to cheer on the Eagles at our family-friendly spirit station where we’ll have snacks, music, crafts, face-painting and give-a-ways!

Football Game
7 p.m. | Jack Miller Stadium
AU vs. Northern Michigan University
$8 General Seating, $12 Reserved Chair Back Seating, $3 Senior Citizen & school-aged children, Free for AU students with their ID card. Tickets may be purchased at the gate or in advance by contacting Dana Freeman at 419.207.6163.

Theatre Production
7:30 p.m., Studio Theatre | Center for the Arts
“Night Train to Bolivia” by Nilo Cruz
Directed by Fabio Polanco
Please see Friday’s events for complete program description and ticket information.

Sunday, September 29

Five Stones Community Church
10:30 a.m. | Jack & Deb Miller Chapel
Five Stones Community Church offers an upbeat, contemporary worship for all. Family and friends are invited to attend. Casual attire is appropriate.

Brunch
11 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. | Lower Convocation Center
Cost per person: Adults: $13.15 | Children ages 4-10: $6.60. Students on a meal plan may choose to use a “guest swipe” in lieu of payment.

Soccer Game
1 p.m. | Ferguson Soccer Field
AU Women’s Soccer vs. Tiffin University

Theatre Production
2 p.m., Studio Theatre | Center for the Arts
“Night Train to Bolivia” by Nilo Cruz
Directed by Fabio Polanco
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Overnight Accommodations
Ashland Inn & Suites
741 US 250 E., Ashland | 419.281.8090
Jenny Wade Bed & Breakfast
302 Center St., Ashland | 419.606.4433
College House Bed & Breakfast
134 College Avenue, Ashland | www.collegehousebb.com
Winfield Bed & Breakfast
1568 St. Rt. 60, Ashland | 1.800.269.7166
Holiday Inn Express
St. Rt. 250 and I-71, Ashland | 419.281.2900

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Your Name: ____________________________
Your preferred email address: ____________________________

Student’s Name: ____________________________

Family Weekend Events you are attending: (check all that apply)
☐ Tuffy’s Brunch Break
# of people attending this event: _________
☐ Mentalist: Wayne Hoffman
# of people attending this event: _________
☐ Tuffy’s Spirit Station
# of people attending this event: _________

Questions
AU Parent Relations Office
419.289.5082
Toll Free: 1.888.GoTuffy
Email: ldiehm@ashland.edu

Campus Bookstore Hours:
Friday, September 27 | 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Saturday, September 28 | 10 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Stadium store will open at 5:30 p.m.
Sunday, September 29 | Noon – 3 p.m.