



“WOW”

WEEKEND OF WELCOME

WOW IS SPONSORED BY STUDENT LIFE

MUC Morris University Center • CML Clark Memorial Library
ATC Advanced Technology Center • JARAC James A. Rhodes Athletic Center
VRCFA Vern Riffe Center for the Arts • MAS Massie Hall • KRI Kricker Hall
HEA Health Sciences • SRH Student Resource Hub • HH Hatcher Hall
EDU Education Building • ADM Administration

THURSDAY, AUGUST 22

- **ALL CAMPUS OFFICES OPEN**
- **iCONNECT** — ITS, CML LOWER LEVEL — (9:00 AM – 5:00 PM)
Visit the IT Service Desk for assistance with your campus technology needs
- **BEAR BASICS RESOURCE PASSPORT** — MUC, FRONT DESK
Get to know your campus resources with this packet! Complete the passport and submit it for a chance to win a prize!
- **CLASSROOM TOURS** — CML, ROOM 244
Request an ambassador to walk you through your class schedule!

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| 1:00 PM | FRESHMEN STARTER PACKS — SRH
Ensure your success in your first year by picking up some essential items and learning of a special campus resource |
| 1:00 PM | FAMILY FAREWELL STATION — SPIRIT ROCK
Commemorate the day! Stop by to take a family picture and create a lifelong memory |
| 3:00 PM | FAMILY FAREWELL PICNIC — CML, LAWN
Join us for a picnic to celebrate the beginning of your new journey. Meet your support team including faculty, staff, and administrators |
| 4:45 PM | FIRST RA BUILDING MEETING
Your building RA will provide the location |
| 5:00 PM | DINNER — MUC, BEARS' DEN |
| 6:30 PM | WELCOME HOME HOUSING BASH — TBD
Come and meet other the campus housing residents |

FRIDAY, AUGUST 23

- **ALL CAMPUS OFFICES OPEN**
 - **LATE CHECK IN** — MUC, FRONT DESK
 - **iCONNECT** — ITS, CML, LOWER LEVEL — (9:00 AM – 7:30 PM)
 - **BEAR BASICS RESOURCE PASSPORT** — MUC, FRONT DESK
 - **CLASSROOM TOURS** — CML, ROOM 244
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| 7:00 AM | BREAKFAST — MUC, BEARS' DEN |
| 9:00 AM | FAMILY FAREWELL STATION — SPIRIT ROCK
Commemorate the day! Stop by to take a family picture and create a lifelong memory |
| 9:00 AM | WOW CHECK-IN — VRCFA, SELBY LOBBY
Check-in before attending the day's festivities |
| 9:00 AM | DONUTS WITH DEANS & CHAIRS — VRCFA, SELBY LOBBY
Enjoy a donut and meet your Deans and Department Chairs |
| 10:30 AM | BEAR BEGINNINGS — VRCFA
Information session - attendance is required for all first-year students |
| 11:00 AM | LUNCH — MUC, BEARS' DEN |
| 1:00 PM | SPEAK UP, SPEAK OUT — VRCFA
Mandatory training required for all first-year students |
| 2:30 PM | BACK TO SCHOOL PARTIES — MAS/ADM, 1 ST FLOOR
Get to know your academic faculty and deans!
Be sure to drop by your department for a chance to win an academic raffle basket |

3:45 PM

THE WALK — ALUMNI GREEN

Learn how we help you get to graduation

4:30 PM

DINNER — MUC, BEARS' DEN

6:00 PM

WOW CARNIVAL — CAMPUS GROUNDS

Come and meet the student organizations and get involved on campus

6:00 PM

PARTY AT THE LIBRARY — CML, LIBRARY OPEN UNTIL 8:00 PM

Explore the library and the different resources available to SSU students (IT Service Desk open during party, 6:00–7:30)

6:00 PM

JOB FAIR — SRH, LAWN

Need a part-time job? Check out the job fair

8:00 PM

BINGO — ALUMNI GREEN

A beloved SSU tradition. Play bingo and win prizes

9:30 PM

MYSTERY MOVIE — ALUMNI GREEN

Bring your favorite blanket and join us for a movie

SATURDAY, AUGUST 24

- **STUDENT BUSINESS CENTER — 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM**
- **CLARK MEMORIAL LIBRARY — 8:00 AM – 10:00 PM**
- **LATE CHECK-IN — MUC, FRONT DESK**
- **BEAR BASICS RESOURCE PASSPORT — MUC, FRONT DESK**
- **CLASSROOM TOURS — CML, ROOM 244**

11:00 AM

BRUNCH — MUC, BEARS' DEN

12:00 PM

MENTOR MOMENTS — MUC, LOBBY

Find your people and get to know your fellow bears

1:00 PM

SET YOUR INTENTIONS — MUC, SMITH COFFEE HOUSE

Learn about the best practices to ensure your collegiate success and create a keepsake to remind you of the journey

1:00 PM

CODE, COFFEE, & PIZZA — KRICKER INNOVATION HUB

Join us at the KIH for the dynamic tech meet up experience!

2:00 PM

SATURDAY CRAFTERNOON — SRH, LAWN

Welcome home, now it's time to decorate, join us in some DIY crafting fun

4:00 PM

HATCHER HOUSING PICNIC — 3RD STREET

Everybody loves a picnic! Join us for an evening of food and fun

8:30 PM

BEARS' WELCOME BACK BONFIRE — QUONSET HUT

End the evening with a bonfire

SUNDAY, AUGUST 25

- **LATE CHECK-IN — MUC, FRONT DESK**
- **BEAR BASICS RESOURCE PASSPORT — MUC, FRONT DESK**
- **CLARK MEMORIAL LIBRARY — 11:00 AM – 11:00 PM**

11:00 AM

BRUNCH — MUC, BEARS' DEN

11:00 AM

BUSES TO WALMART — SPIRIT ROCK

Forget something or need more things? Join us for a trip to WalMart

1:00 PM

NEW AND RETURNING STUDENT ORG. TRAINING — SRH

One officer of returning organizations must attend this training to seek approval. Students interested in starting a student organization should attend this meeting to learn about the process

2:00 PM

MANDATORY ATHLETIC TEAMS MEETING — VRCFA

All athletes must attend

4:00 PM

MEET THE TEAMS — VRCFA

Come and meet the teams

4:00 PM

MEET THE GREEKS — MUC, LAWN

Come and meet the Greeks

4:30 PM

DINNER — MUC, BEARS' DEN

7:00 PM

SHAKESPEARE IN THE PARK — ALUMNI GREEN

Join us for a little Shakespeare among friends

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SERVICE

For assistance with any of your Information Technology Services, scan this QR code or visit shawnee.edu/its-help to submit an IT Service Form and a member of our team will contact you.

STUDENT HOUSING WI-FI ASSISTANCE

For 24 hours a day, 7 days a week Spectrum Community Wi-Fi Technical Support call 1-855-895-5302.

IT SERVICE
DESK FORM



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ON THE SSU APP

