Summer Orientation, Advising, and Registration
S.O.A.R.
Summer 2013

*Note: The schedule may change slightly depending on when you are scheduled to attend orientation*
8:00-8:30  **Orientation Registration—Campus Center**
We invite you to help yourself to breakfast and mingle with current and new students.

8:45-9:15  **Welcome to Otterbein—Cowan Hall**
Dr. Kathy Krendl, President, will welcome you to Otterbein as you “Prepare to S.O.A.R.”

9:25-9:55  **Orientation Team Meeting—Various Locations**
Meet your Orientation Leaders and other new students in your group. You will go over the details of the day and review important information related to course registration.

10:05-10:35  **Residence Life & Commuter Life—Various Locations**
Students and staff that work with commuter life and residence life will share insight on what life is like as a commuter student and what life is like living in the residence halls.
**Residence Life—Cowan Hall**
Allan Williams, Assistant Director, Residence Life

**Commuter Life—Otterbein Chapel**
James Prysock, Coordinator, Office of Diversity

10:45-11:45  **Taking Care of Business & Meet the Deans—Various Locations**
We will review everything you need to know about doing business with Otterbein—how and when to pay your bill, accept financial aid, and more. Additionally, the Deans of each of Otterbein’s Schools will share academic expectations of students at Otterbein.

**School of Arts and Sciences—Riley Auditorium**
Assistant Dean for Academic Affairs, Susan Millsap, Ph.D., and Director of Financial Aid, Tom Yarnell

**School of Professional Studies—Cowan Hall**
Dean Barbara Schaffner, Ph.D., and Vice President for Enrollment Management, Jefferson Blackburn-Smith

**University Programs—Science 104**
Dean Wendy Sherman Heckler, Ph.D., and Director of Adult and Transfer Enrollment Services, Mark Moffitt

11:50-1:00  **Lunch—Campus Center, Cardinal’s Nest**
Experience dining in the Cardinal’s Nest with your Orientation Leaders and Orientation Team as you would during the school year.
1:10-5:00  **Orientation Team Rotations**—**Various Locations**
You will rotate through a variety of sessions with your Orientation Leaders and your Orientation Team. A complete list of sessions and times are listed below.

**Orientation Teams: Day, Clements, and Hanby**
- 1:10-2  Course Registration
- 2:10-3  Orientation Team Meeting #2 and Cardinal Cards
- 3:10-4  Earn Your W.I.N.G.S.
- 4:10-5  Common Book Meeting

**Orientation Teams: Davis, Thomas, and Clippinger**
- 1:10-2  Common Book Meeting
- 2:10-3  Course Registration
- 3:10-4  Orientation Team Meeting #2 and Cardinal Cards
- 4:10-5  Earn Your W.I.N.G.S.

**Orientation Teams: Fouse, Hancock, and Van Sant**
- 1:10-2  Earn Your W.I.N.G.S.
- 2:10-3  Common Book Meeting
- 3:10-4  Course Registration
- 4:10-5  Orientation Team Meeting #2 and Cardinal Cards

**Orientation Teams: Martin, Smith, and Vance**
- 1:10-2  Orientation Team Meeting #2 and Cardinal Cards
- 2:10-3  Earn Your W.I.N.G.S.
- 3:10-4  Common Book Meeting
- 4:10-5  Course Registration

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**Earn Your W.I.N.G.S.—Roush 116**
Learn how to prepare for a safe flight at Otterbein by hearing from current students and staff.

**Cardinal Cards & Orientation Team Meeting #2—Campus Center**
Get your photo taken for your Otterbein ID and meet with your Orientation Team.

**Fall Course Registration—Courtright Memorial Library**
Meet with an Academic Advisor to review your schedule and ensure your schedule is ready for you to begin classes.

**Common Book—Otterbein Chapel**
As part of our commitment to quality education, all new students, faculty and staff read a common book. Attend this session to receive a copy of this year’s selected book, get your summer writing assignment, as well as learn about ways in which the book will be utilized in and out of the classroom.
**New Student Move-In**  
*Wednesday, August 21*  
All Check-ins will be in the Campus Center Lounge  
10am-12pm — Even Numbered Rooms; 1pm-3pm — Odd Numbered

**Commuter Check-In**  
*Wednesday, August 21, 4pm*

**Common Book Assignment Due**  
*Thursday, August 22*

**New Student Week: First Flight**  
*Wednesday, August 21 — Sunday, August 25*

**Classes Begin**  
*Monday, August 26*

**First Friday Festival**  
*Friday, August 30*

**Homecoming Weekend**  
*Friday, September 20 — Sunday, September 22*

**Family Weekend**  
*Friday, November 1 — Sunday, November 3*

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**Dates to Remember**

4:00-6:00 *Resource Fair — Campus Center Lounge*

Visit the Resource Fair and meet representatives from various offices including Financial Aid, Student Affairs, Otterbein University Police Department, Residence Life, and more!

5:00-6:00 *Clements Hall Room Tour — Clements Hall*

While we are not able to show you every residence hall on campus, you are welcome to tour a sample room in Clements Hall while you are on campus today.

**Football Equipment Fittings — Memorial Stadium**

Football players please go to the Memorial Stadium after your final session to meet with the athletic staff and have your equipment fitted. GO CARDS!

**Equine Riding Assessment — Knowlton Center for Equine**

Assessments will take approximately an hour and students need to bring their own helmet and be wearing boots. Need a map? Stop by the Campus Center Office to pick one up!

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