Sunday, August 30, 2015

10:30 a.m.-2:00 p.m.  |  Brunch  |  Marketplace/Clewell Dining Hall
Meal plans begin today. Bring your Moravian College ID card.

11:00 a.m.  |  Moravian Lovefeast  |  Quad between Comenius & Reeves (Prosser)
Join in a 300 year old tradition of worship and community building. We will gather for this interfaith experience and the first taste of Moravian sugar cake for this academic year.

2:00 p.m.  |  Rotating Sessions with Orientation Groups
Information Technology (CIT) Training  |  Campus Classrooms
Learn more about the computing environment and discuss email, networking, and other systems used at Moravian College. Bring your MacBook Pro!

Meet the Deans  |  Prosser Auditorium
Meet the Student Affairs Deans, Director of Student Development, and Chief of Police to learn about the expectations as a member of the Moravian College community and how to start off on the right foot.

3:30 p.m.  |  Class of 2019 Photo & Crossing Ceremony  |  In Front of Colonial (Johnston Hall)
Orientation concludes with this memorable ceremony! Gather for the ultimate group photo to capture your first days at Moravian College and sign the class banner! Finally, led by Dean Loyd, the Class will process across Main Street through the gate to the front of Comenius where President Grigsby will welcome the Class of 2019.

5:00-6:00 p.m.  |  First-Year Seminar Class Meetings (Sections A, D-E, G, I-J, L-O, Q, S-V)  |  Campus Classrooms
Meet your First-Year Seminar instructor and Student Advisor. This first class session will be dedicated to discussing Twilight: Los Angeles, 1992. Room locations will be posted in the HUB and sent via email. Questions or concerns regarding your ability to attend should be directed to your instructor.

5:00 p.m.-7:15 p.m.  |  Dinner  |  Marketplace/Clewell Dining Hall
Meal plans begin today. Bring your Moravian College ID card.

6:00-7:00 p.m.  |  First-Year Seminar Class Meetings (Sections B-C, F, H, K, P, R, W, Spring A-F, 100)  |  Campus Classrooms
Meet your First-Year Seminar instructor and Student Advisor. This first class session will be dedicated to discussing Twilight: Los Angeles, 1992. Room locations will be posted in the HUB and sent via email. Questions or concerns regarding your ability to attend should be directed to your instructor.

7:30 p.m.  |  Community Event featuring Anna Deavere Smith, Author of Twilight: Los Angeles, 1992  |  Johnston Hall
Along with your First-Year Seminar instructor and Student Advisor, join your classmates for this discussion by Anna Deavere Smith, author of Twilight: Los Angeles, 1992. Questions or concerns regarding your ability to attend should be directed to your instructor.

Rain locations are listed in parentheses
Friday, August 28, 2015

8:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m. | Residence Hall Move In for New Students | Residence Halls
Arrive at the main entrance of the college on Main and Locust Streets. From there, you will be directed to your residence hall to unload, unpack, and settle into your new home. Members of the College community including faculty, staff, and upperclass students will be on hand to assist.

8:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. | Hound Fair | Haupert Union Building
Representatives from Academic & Disability Support, AT&T, Bursar, Campus Safety, Chaplain’s Office, Counseling Center, Financial Aid, Health Center, and Wells Fargo will be available to provide information and answer questions.

11:00 a.m.-1:30 p.m. | Hound Check-In | HUB Kiosk
Commuters should pick up their “Hound Check In Sheet” during this time to learn their orientation group and address any outstanding issues. Residents should submit their completed “Hound Check In Sheet” that was received at the check in tent earlier in the morning. By submitting the “Hound Check In Sheet” we can record that you have officially arrived!

11:00 a.m.-1:30 p.m. | Lunch for Families and New Students | Haupert Union Building & Johnston Hall
New students and their families are invited to be our guests for lunch.

12:30 p.m.-1:00 p.m. | President’s Welcome Reception for Families and New Students | PPHAC Patio (PPHAC Atrium)
Families are invited to a reception hosted by President Byron Grigsby ’90. The vice presidents and other senior administrators will be present to welcome our newest families to the greyhound community.

12:45 p.m. | Shuttles begin departing for Convocation | Front of HUB
Take a shuttle to Central Moravian Church to enjoy our outdoor concert prior to Convocation. Shuttles run continuously until the start of Convocation, and resume at the conclusion of the program. Parking is limited around Central Moravian Church, so enjoy the ease and comfort of College transportation.

1:15 p.m. | Concert on the Green | Pleasure Grounds
Enjoy a pre-Convocation outdoor concert performed by the Moravian College Marching Band behind Main Hall.

2:00 p.m. | Class of 2019 Convocation | Central Moravian Church
Join us for the ceremonial beginning of the academic year for our new students and their families. Ushers will assist in seating. Students sit with classmates while families will be seated in designated areas.

4:00 p.m. | Farewell to Family and Friends | Across Campus
Time for new students to complete last minute unpacking and part with family members.

4:30 p.m. | Orientation Kickoff! | Soccer Field behind HUB (Fieldhouse)
Meet your Orientation Leader (OL) and other students in your orientation group. Information was sent to each student’s Moravian College email, is located on students’ residence hall room door, and available to commuters at “Hound Check In”.

5:00 p.m. | Class of 2019 Welcome Dinner | Johnston Hall
Members of the faculty and staff will join the Class of 2019 for their first meal as a class.

6:00 p.m. | Get Connected | Soccer Field behind HUB (Fieldhouse)
Don’t miss this exciting orientation tradition! Meet a number of new classmates and begin making memories.

8:00 p.m. | Commuter Student Gathering: Part I | HUB: UBC Room
Meet other commuting students and have an opportunity to ask questions of upperclass commuters regarding their Moravian College experience.

8:00 p.m. | Residence Hall Meeting: Part I | Residence Halls
Meet your Resident Advisor (RA), who will provide information on how to best enjoy your residence hall experience while getting to know other residents you will be living with for the year.

9:00 p.m. | Sundaeas on the Circle | Dorm Circle (Pavilion)
The OLs are scooping ice cream! Each new student will receive a gift only available at this event.

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9:30 p.m. | Comedian Danny Jolles sponsored by USG | Johnston Hall
Have a few laughs and conclude your first day as a Hound on a high note, hosted by USG, the United Student Government.

Saturday, August 29, 2015

8:30 a.m. | Orientation Groups Convene | Across Campus
Meet your OL and orientation group for breakfast before a day of orientation activities.

8:30 a.m.-9:30 a.m. | Breakfast | Marketplace
Enjoy breakfast in the Marketplace!

9:30 a.m. | Rotating Sessions with Orientation Groups
The Hound Hunt | Across Campus
Head out on a campus adventure to find your classrooms and other important locations while learning about campus.

“Tell us about the Class of 2019” Class Survey | Johnston Hall
Complete a survey to help us get to know more about the plans, thoughts, and priorities of the Class of 2019.

11:45 a.m. | Moravian Mile Class Walk | 1742 Splotch
An orientation tradition! Join President Grigsby ’90 and Dean Loyd for a walk on the Moravian Mile down Main Street to the Priscilla Payne Hurd Campus. A shuttle will be available for individuals needing transportation to Hurd Campus.

12:15 p.m. | Welcome to the Hurd Campus & Lunch | Hurd Campus (Johnston Hall)
Upon arriving at the Hurd Campus, lunch will be available followed by time to explore the campus with your Orientation Group.

12:45 p.m. | Our More Diverse Moravian: To ‘Inclusive Excellence’ and Beyond | Central Moravian Church
What does diversity mean? Is it even relevant to you as a learner and leader of the 21st century? Let’s explore these and other pertinent questions and determine together how to create our more excellent Moravian College.

2:30 p.m. | Afternoon Break | Across Campus
Enjoy some downtime before the evening’s activities begin.

5:30 p.m. | Bring out the Beeswax | Johnston Hall
Each year, Moravian College hosts Vespers, a holiday worship service, and uses 6,000 beeswax candles. Keeping with tradition, first-year students assemble these candles during their first weekend on campus.

6:30 p.m. | HoundFest sponsored by IMPACT | Quad between Comenius & Reeves (Fieldhouse)
It’s a party – Moravian College style – hosted by IMPACT, the campus programming board! Join us for dinner and enjoy activities. Each new student will receive a class gift only available at this event. You won’t want to miss the fun!

9:00 p.m. | Commuter Student Gathering: Part II | HUB: UBC Room
Connect with other commuter students.

9:00 p.m. | Residence Hall Meeting: Part II | Residence Halls
Find out more about your residence hall and meet others living in the building, including your Senior RA (SRA) and the rest of the Residence Life Staff. This meeting will begin on individual floors.

10:30 p.m. | BINGO sponsored by IMPACT | Pavilion
During the semester, students flock to BINGO for great prizes and fun times! Come experience the hype of one of Moravian College’s favorite pastimes hosted by IMPACT, the campus programming board.

11:30 p.m. | Midnight Oasis with the Deans | Marketplace
Midnight Oasis is a campus tradition that only occurs a few times a year. Enjoy late night breakfast food served by your Deans!