



# **Opening Week Fall 2016**

Welcome to William Paterson University! The following are events and special hours for Opening Week 2016.

#### Monday, August 29 • STUDENT CHECK-IN

Recreation Center 8:00 am-8:00 pm Fitness Center 5:00-11:00 pm Arcade Opens 12:00 noon Residence Hall Meetings 7:30 pm Movie Night 8:00 pm • Central Intelligence • Behind Overlook South (ice cream, popcorn, and refreshments)

#### Tuesday, August 30 • RETURNING STUDENT CHECK-IN

Recreation Center 8:00 am-8:00 pm Fitness Center 5:00-11:00 pm

Pioneer Service Ventures (9:00 am-4:00 pm)

Various service sites available. Visit wpunj.edu/pioneerventures

Palisades Mall Bus Trip (Bus departs at 10:00 am from lot 5 bus stop; return bus departs mall at 2:30 pm)

Pizza and Arcade Games 12:00-2:00 pm • Lower Level, Student Center Walking Sculpture Tour 2:00 pm

(Departs from Student Center Arcade – Lower Level)

WP SCHOOL SPIRIT Themed Dinner 4:00-8:00 pm • Speert Hall CHOICES Program (Residents only) 8:00 pm • Shea Center (required of

all first year students)

**SAPB: Magician Kid Ace** 9:30 pm • University Commons Ballrooms **Arcade** remains open until 10:00 pm

# Wednesday, August 31

Fitness Center and Recreation Center 8:00 am-11:00 pm Arcade 9:00 am-12:00 midnight

#### **New Student Welcome**

- Science Classrooms 9:00 am
- Formal Welcome 10:00 am Rec Center
- Academic Services Fair 11:00 am Second Floor, Student Center
- Transfer Student Welcome 11:00 am Shea Center
- New Student Lunch 11:30 am University Commons Ballrooms

**CHOICES Program** (Commuters only) 2:00 pm • Shea Center (required of all first year students)

#### **Student Center Takeover**

- Pioneer Café, Arcade and Billiards 6:00-9:00 pm Java & Music, Board Games, Caricatures, Airbrush Hats (Lower Level, Student Center, Arcade, and Café)
- Think Fast Game Show 9:00 pm
  Student Center Multipurpose Room

#### Thursday, September 1 • CLASSES BEGIN

Commuter Breakfast 9:00am • University Commons 211 and Patio Passport to Willy P 12:30-2:00 pm • Zanfino Plaza Outdoor Inflatables, BBQ, Info on Campus Offices, Fun Foods, Big Chair Photos Field Hockey vs. FDU 7:00 pm • Florham (snacks and giveaways) Men's Soccer vs. St. Joseph's 7:00 pm • Long Island (snacks and giveaways) SAPB: Comedy Show 8:00 pm • Student Center Multipurpose Room

# Friday, September 2

**Beach Volleyball Grill Out** 2:00 pm • Outdoor Volleyball Court (food, music, and volleyball)

Tennis vs. St. Joseph's 3:00 pm • Long Island (snacks and giveaways) Women's Soccer vs. Medger Evers 6:00 pm (snacks and giveaways) Friday Night at the Rec 9:00 pm • Rec Center (laser tag, splash art, free food)

# Saturday, September 3

Football vs. Alfred State 12:00 noon (snacks and giveaways) Karaoke & Pizza 8:00 pm • Matelson Hall Lounge

# Sunday, September 4

Field Hockey vs. Western Connecticut 1:00 pm Ice Cream Social 7:00 pm • High Mountain

# Monday, September 5 • LABOR DAY

High Mountain Hike 11:00 am-3:00 pm • Meet in Rec Center LUAU Themed Dinner 4:00-8:00 pm • Speert Hall Pool Party 8:00-10:00 pm • Wightman Gym

#### FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION Contact the Student Development Office at 973.720.2750