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Lindenwood University Parent Newsletter

September 2017

Campus Welcomes Class of 2021

On August 23rd, 2017, *Lindenwood University* welcomed the Class of 2021 to New Student Orientation: Welcome to the Pride. Welcome to the Pride, hosted by First-Year Programs, introduced incoming students to the campus community and University life.

During this week, incoming Lions attended academic sessions geared toward orienting them to college coursework. They also learned about the many different resources available to them as Lindenwood students, met with University faculty and staff, and attended social events hosted by the Office of Student Involvement. Additionally, incoming Lions had the opportunity to build crucial relationships with fellow freshmen and upperclassmen Peer Leaders.

Student & Academic Support Services also hosted a condensed orientation on August 26, 2017 for incoming transfer students. This condensed orientation provided many of the same opportunities afforded to the Class of 2021, just in a shortened format. In addition to learning about academic and social opportunities, Transfer Orientation attendees had the option of meeting with an academic advisor to make any needed changes to their Fall 2017 schedule.

We had a great turnout for Welcome to the Pride and have already started planning for next year!

Family Day

On September 16, 2017, the Lindenwood community celebrated the 5th Annual Family Day- an opportunity for family members to visit their student and enjoy a variety of activities .

During this event, families and students rekindled by touring campus, interacting with senior administration, faculty, and staff, attending a Lindenwood Lions football game, attending the International Festival, witnessing the ribbon cutting for the newly opened Library & Academic Resource Center, and much more. Family Day guests were invited to share their Family Day 2017 memories by using #LindenwoodFamilyDay.

We would like to give send a major thank you to the Family Day Planning Committee for their work in putting together this event for our Lindenwood families. The committee was made up of representatives from Student Involvement, First-Year Programs, Student Affairs & Diversity, Athletics, and Admissions!

We hope you enjoyed Family Day! We look forward to seeing you next fall at the 6th Annual Lindenwood Family Day!



Important Dates

September 23: Career & Internship Fair

October 10-15: Homecoming & Reunion

October 12: TEDX Event

October 23-24: Fall Break

October 25: Dark Carnival

October 30: Registration Begins

November 22-26: Thanksgiving Break

November 26: Christmas Walk

December 8: Last Day of Classes

December 11-15: Finals Week

December 16: Commencement

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