RINGLING COLLEGE OF ART AND DESIGN

# New Student Orientation Schedule
# August 13 – 19, 2012

NSO Schedule Symbols Guide

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C = Commuter Students
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P = Parents
R = Resident Student

**Monday, August 13, 2012**

**NEW INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS**

| Time | Event | Location |
|---|---|---|
| **8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.** | Campus Bookstore Open | |
| **9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.** | New International Residence Students Move-In (**I**,**P**)<br>Complete moving into your residence hall. | Residence Life Office<br>1st Floor, Goldstein Hall |
| **11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.** | Lunch (**I**,**P**) ($7.00 for parents)<br>-or- Lunch on your own | Hammond Commons |
| **2:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.** | Shuttles to Target Superstore/Banks (**I**,**P**)<br>Transportation is available to several locations so that students can purchase items for their rooms, open bank accounts or just get out and see the city. | US41/MLK Corner Parking Lot |
| **5:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.** | Dinner (**I**) with OL's & RA's | Hammond Commons |
| **8:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.** | Game/Movie Night with OL's & RA's (**I**) | |

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**Tuesday, August 14, 2012**

**NEW INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS**

| Time | Event | Location |
|---|---|---|
| **8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.** | Campus Bookstore Open | |
| **8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.** | Pancake Feed with RA's & OL's (**I**) | Goldstein Hall Kitchen |
| **9:30 a.m. – 11:45 a.m.** | International Student Welcome & Information Session (**I**,**P**) | Academic Center, Room 209 |
| **11:45 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.** | *The Brickman Experience* Lunch with OL's (**I**,**P**) | Brickman Café |
| **1:15 p.m.** | Scavenger Hunt with Orientation Leaders (**I**,**P**) | Meet Academic Center, 1st Floor Lobby |
| **3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.** | International Student Transitions (**I**)<br>Get to know the wonderful counseling, health and ARC staff during this interactive experience! | Academic Center, Room 209 |
| **6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.** | Tour of St. Armands Circle (**I**) ($$)<br>Tour the city with your Orientation Leaders and dine out at a venue of your choice at beautiful St. Armands Circle. Shuttle departs circle back to campus at 9 p.m. | US41/MLK Corner Parking Lot |
| **9:00 p.m.** | Return to Ringling College (**I**) | |

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**Wednesday, August 15, 2012**

| Time | Event | Location |
|---|---|---|
| **7:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.** | Breakfast **(Meal Plan Starts Today)** | Hammond Commons |
| **8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.** | Campus Bookstore Open | |
| **9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.** | Outtakes Café Open | Ulla Searing St Center |
| **8:30 a.m. – Noon (Morning Location)** | Resident Key Pick-Up/Move-In (**R**,**P**)<br>**Make sure to pick up your residence hall keys at the *Welcome Tents* for each of the following locations:** | |
| | Goldstein Hall Residents…… | Bayou Apartments Parking Lot; 2736 Bradenton Rd. |
| | Appleton, Idelson, Harmon…… | 1130 Greensboro Lane |
| | Keating Hall…….. | Selby Gallery Parking Lot; 1188 Dr. M.L.K, Jr. Way |
| **Noon – 5:30pm (Afternoon Location)** | Resident Key Pick-Up/Move-In (**R**,**P**)<br>**Make sure to pick up your residence hall keys in Goldstein Hall, 1st floor** | Goldstein Hall, Residence Life Wing |
| **11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.** | Lunch ($7.00 if not on meal plan)<br>-or- Lunch on your own (**I**,**R**,**P**) | Hammond Commons & Brickman Café |
| **2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.** | Health Vaccination Clinic (**A**)<br>Available for students to completed necessary vaccinations. | Selby Gallery Lecture Hall |
| **2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.** | Academic Resource Center (ARC): Transition Workshop for Students with Disabilities (**A – in need of these services**)<br>Meet the ARC staff and learn about their services for disabilities and other learning support. | US41/MLK Corner Parking Lot |
| **2:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.** | Free Shuttles Superstores (**A**)<br>Transportation to several locations to purchase items for rooms or just get out and see the city. See SHUTTLE SCHEDULE for specific pick-up and drop-off times. | |
| **5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.** | Dinner ($8.00 if not on meal plan)<br>-or- Dinner on your own (**A**) | Hammond Commons |
| **7:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.** | Parents' Association Hospitality Suite (**P**)<br>Meet and connect with fellow Ringling College parents while enjoying the supportive, social atmosphere. | Hyatt Place<br>950 University Parkway<br>Sarasota, Florida |
| **9:00 p.m. – 10:30 p.m.** | Activity with OL's & RA's (**I**,**C**,**R**)<br>Meet fellow students, both new and upper-class during this fun and exciting bonfire cookout & outdoor movie! | Scott's Plaza |

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Fall 2012

## Thursday, August 16, 2012

| Time | Event | Location |
|---|---|---|
| **7:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.** | Breakfast ($6.00 if not on meal plan) | Hammond Commons |
| **8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.** | Campus Bookstore Open | |
| **8:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.** | New Student Move-In Cont'd. (**R**,**P**) | Goldstein Hall, Residence Life Wing |
| **9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.** | Outtakes Café Open | 1st Floor, Ulla Searing St Center |
| **9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.** | Academic Advising Office (**A**)<br>Individual appointments may be scheduled with our professional staff. Please just stop by for help. | 2nd Floor, Ulla Searing Student Center |
| **9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.** | Academic Resource Center (ARC) (**A**)<br>Individual appointments may be scheduled with our professional staff. Please email askarc@ringling.edu | 2nd Floor, Ulla Searing Student Center |
| **10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.** | Student Processing (**A**)<br>Pick-up your class schedule, complete important paperwork, secure a parking permit, get your student ID photo taken, obtain your MacBook computer, and much more that will get you ready for classes. Learn about campus community resources too.<br><br>**Last Name Starting with... Processing Start Time**<br>**A-C**.....10:00am<br>**D-F**.....10:30am<br>**G-I**.....11:00am<br>**J-L**.....11:30am<br>**M-O**.....12:00pm<br>**P-R**.....12:30pm<br>**S-U**.....1:00pm<br>**V-Z**.....1:30pm | Starts at Selby Gallery Lecture Hall, proceeds to Diane Roskamp Exhibition Hall & then finishes at Goldstein Hall<br><br>***Please remember your Processing Time (left) as you will only be able to process during your designated time*** |
| **11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.** | Lunch ($7.00 if not on meal plan)<br>-or- Lunch on your own (**A**) | Hammond Commons & Brickman Café |
| **3:30 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.** | **C**reating **R**ingling's **U**ltimate **E**xperience (C.R.U.E.*Fest*) (**I**,**C**,**R**)<br>The ultimate campus wide experience with OL's, RA's and more! Come discover what it means to be an official part of the Ringling College family! Woot, Woot! | Scott's Plaza |
| **3:15 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.** | Parent Connections (**P**)<br>This interactive and educational parent session will cover various areas for parents: *The Parent Portal*, coping strategies and transitional issues, academic progression, and student support services. | Academic Center Auditorium |

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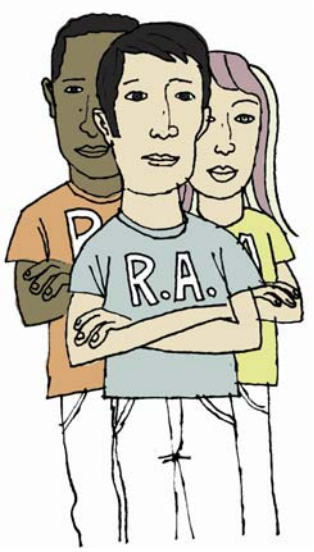
**Thursday, August 16, 2012 Con't**

| Time | Event | Location |
|---|---|---|
| **5:15 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.** | Commuter Student Meeting (**C**,**P**)<br>Dinner provided for Commuter students and parents | Brickman Café/Café Deck & Academic Center Auditorium |
| **5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.** | Dinner ($8.00 if not on meal plan)<br>-or- Dinner on your own (**A**) | Hammond Commons |
| **7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.** | Parents' Association Hospitality (**P**)<br>Enjoy Ringling College's newest addition, the *madeby* Store, during this hospitality event. Network with members from the Parents' Association and other Ringling College parents while enjoying the student and alumni gallery work, food, drinks, and music! | Ringling College<br>*madeby* Store<br>Rosemary. District<br>734 Central Avenue<br>Sarasota, FL |
| **7:00 p.m. – 8:25 p.m.** | **Residence Life All Hall Meeting**<br>**Mandatory for all: Keating, Appleton, Idelson, Harmon** (**R**) | Academic Center Auditorium |
| **7:00 p.m. – 8:25 p.m.** | Activity with OL's & RA's (**I**,**C**,**R**)<br>(Goldstein Hall & Commuter Students) | Academic Center Field |
| **8:30 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.** | **Residence Life All Hall Meeting**<br>**Mandatory for all:**<br>**Goldstein Hall** (**R**) | Academic Center Auditorium |
| **8:30 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.** | Activity with OL's & RA's (**I**,**C**,**R**)<br>(Appleton, Idelson, Harmon, Keating) | Academic Center Field |

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**Friday, August 17, 2012**

| Time | Event | Location |
|---|---|---|
| **7:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.** | Breakfast | Hammond Commons |
| **8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.** | Bookstore Open | |
| **8:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.** | Outtakes Café Open | 1st Floor, Ulla Searing St Center |
| **9:15 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.** | Department Conversations (**A**)<br>Discover more about your major and get a chance to meet your department head, faculty mentors, instructors and other classmates in these up-close and personal discussions. | |
| | Major<br>Advertising Design<br>Business of Art & Design<br>Computer Animation **(9:15am-10:15am)**<br>Digital Film<br>Fine Arts/Painting/Printmaking/Sculpture<br>Game Art and Design **(10:30am-11:30am)**<br>Graphic & Interactive Communication<br>Illustration<br>Interior Design<br>Motion Design<br>Photography & Digital Imaging | Room:<br>Academic Center 208<br>Academic Center 218<br>Roskamp Exhibition Hall<br>Goldstein Center 101<br>Trustee Studio 103<br>Roskamp Exhibition Hall<br>Academic Center 209<br>Academic Center Auditorium<br>Kimbrough 202<br>Academic Center 310<br>Cooley Photography Center 101 |
| **11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.** | Lunch ($7.00 if not on meal plan)<br>-or- Lunch on your own (**A**) | Hammond Commons & Brickman Café |
| **1:00 p.m. – 1:20 p.m.** | Shuttles depart for Van Wezel (**A**)<br>777 N. Tamiami Trail, Sarasota FL 34234 | US41/MLK Corner Parking Lot |
| **1:30 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.** | *Official Welcome* (**A**)<br>Dr. Tammy S. Walsh, Vice President for Student Life & Dean of Students; Jim Dean, Dean of Admissions; and Dr. Larry R. Thompson, President of Ringling College, officially welcome you to campus!<br>*Academic Overview* (**A**)<br>Melody Weiler, Vice President for Academic Affairs; Jeff Schwartz, Interim Illustration Department Head | Van Wezel P.A.H. |
| **3:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m.** | Break | |
| **3:15 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.** | Dr T. and the Team (**A**) | Van Wezel P.A.H. |
| **4:15 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.** | Student Shuttles depart Van Wezel for Ringling College (**I**,**C**,**R**) | |
| **4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.** | President's Reception for Parents (**P**)<br>Meet Dr. Larry R. Thompson and mingle with other key Ringling College administrators, faculty, and parents. Enjoy great hors d' oeuvres & beverages! | Van Wezel P.A.H. |

**Friday, August 17, 2012 Con't**

| **Time** | | |
|---|---|---|
| **4:30 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.** | "ArmadilloFest" (**I**,**C**,**R**)<br>Bring your screened t's and let's make some tie-dye magic happen! Bring your "A-game" to the RecFest! | Ulla Searing Student Center Plaza/Scott's Plaza |
| **5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.** | Parent Shuttles depart Van Wezel for Ringling College (**P**)<br>Beginning at 5:00 p.m., free shuttles will be available every 30 minutes to take you back to the Ringling College Campus. Last shuttle leaves at 6:30 pm. | |
| **5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.** | BBQ Bonanza ($8.00 if not on meal plan) -or- Dinner on your own (**A**) | Hammond Commons |
| **6:30 p.m. – 7:45 p.m.** | Free Time/ Family Farewells (**A**) | Scott's Plaza |
| **8:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.** | Playfair (**I**,**C**,**R**)<br>More fun than you ever thought you could have! Students only. | Scott's Plaza |
| **9:30 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.** | *ChillZone* with OL's & RA's (**I**,**C**,**R**) | |

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**Saturday, August 18, 2012**

| Time | Event | Location |
|---|---|---|
| **7:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.** | Breakfast/Pack Lunch (**I**,**C**,**R**) | Hammond Commons |
| **9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m.** | Outtakes Café Open | |
| **11:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.** | Campus Bookstore Open | |
| **9:15 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.** | Shuttle departs for Community Service Projects (**I**,**C**,**R**) | US41/MLK Corner Parking Lot |
| **9:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.** | Community Service Projects (**I**,**C**,**R**)<br>Meet and participate in one of the many opportunities for service. | Community Service Project Site (Various) |
| **12:30 p.m.** | Box Lunch with Orientation Leader (**I**,**C**,**R**) | On Location |
| **4:30 p.m.** | Return to Ringling College (**I**,**C**,**R**) | |
| **5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.** | Dinner ($8.00 if not on meal plan)<br>-or- Dinner on your own (**I**,**C**,**R**) | Hammond Commons |
| **4:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.** | Free Time | |
| **8:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.** | Campus Improv Show & Coffee House (**I**,**C**,**R**) | Scott's Plaza |

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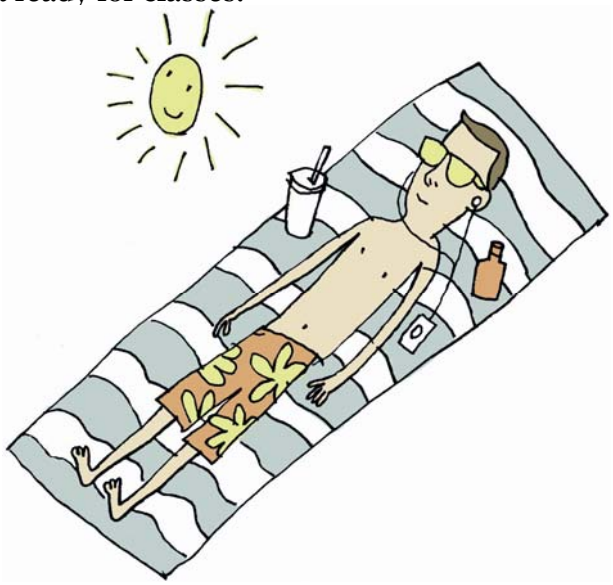
**Sunday, August 19, 2012**

| Time | Event | Location |
|---|---|---|
| **10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.** | I.D. Pick Up (**I**,**C**,**R**) | Kimbrough Library |
| **11:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.** | Campus Bookstore Open | |
| **11:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.** | Brunch ($7.00 if not on meal plan)<br>-or- Brunch on your own (**I**,**C**,**R**) | Hammond Commons |
| **1:45 p.m. – 2:00 p.m.** | Shuttles Depart for Lido Beach (**I**,**C**,**R**) | US41/MLK Corner Parking Lot |
| **2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.** | Lido Beach Trip (**I**,**C**,**R**)<br>This will be a **non-chaperoned trip** to North Lido Beach! Lather up the sunscreen and bring some water!!! See SHUTTLE SCHEDULE for specific pick-up and drop-off times. | |
| **5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.** | Dinner ($8.00 if not on meal plan)<br>-or- Dinner on your own (**I**,**C**,**R**) | Hammond Commons |
| **5:00 p.m. – 1:00 a.m.** | Outtakes Café Open | |
| **8:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.** | **Mandatory Floor Meeting:** (**I**,**R**)<br>**Bring your fully-charged MacBook computer**<br>CIRP Survey | All Floors, All Halls |

**Relax and get ready for classes!**



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**Monday, August 20, 2012**

**ALL RINGLING COLLEGE STUDENTS**

| Time | Event | Location |
|---|---|---|
| **8:30 a.m.** | Classes Begin! | |

**Friday, August 24, 2012**

**ALL RINGLING COLLEGE STUDENTS**

| Time | Event | Location |
|---|---|---|
| **7:00 p.m.** | Volunteer Fair<br>Visit with several local Sarasota organizations to find out how you can get actively involved volunteering in your own back yard. | Ulla Searing Student Center Deck/Exhibition Hall |
| **7:00 p.m.** | Campus Club Fair<br>Come learn about all of the ways you can get actively engaged in campus life and activities. | Ulla Searing Student Center Deck/Exhibition Hall |

**Saturday, August 25, 2012**

**ALL RINGLING COLLEGE STUDENTS**

| Time | Event | Location |
|---|---|---|
| **8:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m.** | Welcome Back Bash | Scott's Plaza |