UNC Greensboro

Rawkin' Welcome Weeks

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RAWKIN' WELCOME WEEKS

FRIDAY
12 AUGUST
First Friday @ the G!

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13 AUGUST
Spartanfest

SUNDAY
14 AUGUST
Blue and Gold Bash

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14 AUGUST
WEAR YOUR SOAR T-SHIRT FOR THE CLASS PHOTO

MONDAY
15 AUGUST
WEAR YOUR NAV1GATE T-SHIRT

NEED HELP?
LOOK FOR SPARTAN SPEARS ON THE FIRST 2 DAYS OF CLASSES
KICK OFF TO RAWKIN’ WELCOME WEEKS

FRIDAY, AUGUST 12

5 - 11 p.m.
FIRST FRIDAY @ THE G!
Elliott University Center
Join us for your First Friday @ the G! We will have a variety of activities starting at 5pm that include (but aren't limited to!) bingo, canvas painting, video game stations, succulents, trivia and more! Then at 8pm join us in Cone Ballroom for a black light bash dance party!

9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
EUC POSTER SALE
EUC Commons
Looking to decorate your room or apartment with cool posters and wall tapestries? Then stop by the EUC Poster Sale to take care of all your decorating needs.
SATURDAY, AUGUST 13

6 - 10 p.m.
SPARTAN FEST: POOL PARTY!

Kaplan Center

Dive into the start of the semester and join us at the Kaplan Center for a pool party! There will be music, a ton of pool inflatables, and you can even create a customized fanny pack! You won't want to miss out on this event!
SUNDAY, AUGUST 14

5 - 9 p.m.
BLUE & GOLD BASH!
Elliott University Center (Cone Ballroom)
Stop by the Blue & Gold Bash for a customized street sign, or personalized tumbler and more. Meet Spiro and see a performance from UNCG Cheer!

3:00 - 5:00 p.m.
1GNITE
Elliott University Center
To begin your college journey, we created a unique experience just for you! 1GNITE and NAV1GATE are special days for every new student coming to UNCG, including incoming freshmen and transfer students, designed to help you get to know the people, ideas, and opportunities that await you during your time here.
MONDAY, AUGUST 15

7:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.  
NAV1GATE  
Fleming Gym

NAV1GATE is a special day dedicated to new Spartans to help you get to know the people, ideas and opportunities that await you during your time here. You will hear from our chancellor, Franklin D. Gilliam, Jr., and connect with faculty, staff, student leaders, and your peers, who will show you the resources and support systems available to help you have a successful first year. You will participate in Spartan traditions to mark the beginning of your college career.

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TUESDAY, AUGUST 16

8 a.m. - 7 p.m.
**SPARTAN SPEARS**
Various Locations
Spartan SPEARS volunteers will be stationed around campus to help you with campus directions as you find your way to class.

10 – 11:30 a.m.
**NCSV FIRST YEAR PLAY!**
Esports Arena, Moran Commons
First Year Play! Hosted by the Network for the Cultural Study of Videogaming with faculty and students from CAS, the Library. Six workshops within the Esports arena capped at 36 students each with discussions around the game Coffee Talk, which deals with themes of identity and community. The experience will introduce students to the Network within the College as well as campus programs and services, and help them make friends and connections over common interests.

11 a.m. - 3 p.m.
**CAP FALL KICKOFF!**
College Ave
Find your fit here at UNCG, Spartans! Join us on College Avenue for the annual student organization and department fair, Fall Kickoff. Come learn about the over 250 student groups and departments to become involved with!

All day
**RHA CASH CAB**
All over campus
Need a ride to class? Or just need a ride to the EUC? Well, RHA Swag Cab got you! There’s just one catch, you gotta answer some questions about UNCG & RHA to win some swag! The more questions you get correct, the better the swag! Get a question wrong? Well, you still get to walk away with something! Look out for our golf cart with our sign to catch a ride throughout the day during the first week of classes!

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**ADVISING DROP-INS: STUDENT FIRST OFFICE**
Forney 101 and Virtual
The Students First Office will be hosting all day drop-ins to meet with an academic advisor and help adjust schedules. Drop-ins are available in-person at Forney 101 as well as virtually at studentsfirst.uncg.edu/virtualdropin/
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3:00 - 6:00 p.m.
OIE PAN-AFRICAN WELCOME FEST
Moran Fountain
All students are invited to come make new friends, learn about Pan-African clubs and resources, and meet staff who are here at the G to support you. Join us for great music, fun games, and free food. While supplies last.

7:30 - 8:30 p.m.
BINGO ON THE LAWN!
The Quad Lawn
Think you’re the ultimate Bingo Player? Well, come join your fellow Spartans and RHA for some Bingo On The Lawn! We’ll have the music! We’ll have some snacks, and we’ll have prizes galore!!

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2 - 4 p.m.
ASTROLOGY CAFE: UNIVERSITY LIBRARIES IN THE STARS
Jackson Library Reference Room
Hosted by the University Libraries, the Astrology Cafe will explore natal charts, horoscopes, and all things astrology over fun and casual conversations and snacks. If possible, come prepared with your birth location, birth time, and/or any of your favorite astrology items!

6:00 - 9:00 p.m.
OIE HISPANIDAD Y LATINIDAD FIESTA
Moran Fountain
All students are invited to come make new friends, learn about Hispanic and Latinx clubs and resources, and meet staff who are here at the G to support you. Join us for great music, fun games, and free food. While supplies last.

6 - 7:30 p.m.
WOMEN'S SOCCER TAILGATE!
UNCG Recreation Field
The first 50 students at the soccer field to cheer on UNCG's Women's Soccer team will get free food! Gates open at 6pm and the game starts at 7pm!

6 - 9 p.m.
WOMEN'S SOCCER HOME OPENER VS CHARLOTTE
UNCG Soccer Stadium
Come show your Spartan spirit and cheer on UNCG's women's soccer team!

5:00 - 7:00 p.m.
CONCERT TRUCK AT WAM
Weatherspoon Art Museum
Concert Truck performs outside the Weatherspoon Art Museum. Come for the performance and check out the art on two floors. WAM is open until 8pm on Thursdays and 10am-5pm, Tuesdays-Saturdays. Free and open to all.

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FRIDAY, AUGUST 19

9 a.m. - 1 p.m.
LEAD ACADEMY
Location TBD
Lead Academy is a student group-focused leadership development conference. Combining group, personal, and professional development, Lead Academy provides head officers and other officers of registered student groups with the tools to best direct and govern their group.

12:00 - 3:00 p.m.
OIE WELCOME EVENT FOR QUEER STUDENTS
Moran Fountain
All students are invited to come make new friends, learn about LGBTQ+ clubs and resources, and meet staff who are here at the G to support you. Join us for great music, fun games, and free food. While supplies last.

8 - 10 p.m.
MOVIE ON THE LAWN
EUC Lawn
Bring your own blanket or chair, and join ACE for a movie on the lawn! There will be popcorn available for the first 50 students! Follow @uncgace on Instagram to find out what movie will be showing!

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 20

8 a.m. - 3 p.m.
SPARTAN SERVICE DAY!
Various Locations
This annual university-wide day of service gives UNCG students an opportunity to get off campus and engage with different parts of our community through service! Participation is free and lunch is provided. We hope this day sparks your interest to continue to learn and serve in the Greensboro community and get involved on-campus and locally!

Hosted by the Office of Leadership and Civic Engagement
Learn more and register at go.uncg.edu/ssd.

1 - 5 p.m.
HRL CARNIVAL!
Quad Lawn
Come on out and join fellow Spartans as they engage in traditional carnival games! Come enjoy a funnel cake and popcorn, and enjoy some carnival rides all at the same time! It’s the perfect way to decompress after the first week of classes!
MONDAY, AUGUST 22

12 - 2 p.m.
**HOW TO COLLEGE 101: YFY EVENT!**
EUC Azalea
Start your semester off strong! Stop by the Azalea room in the EUC to sign up for tutoring and academic skills sessions, get some tips on time management and studying, and connect with the Your First Year team about our YFY Success Series for first year students. Hosted by Your First Year and the Academic Achievement Center. Visit the YFY table in the EUC commons for info, or head straight over to the Azalea room for the event!

12 - 2 p.m.
**THERAPY PETS WITH THE UNIVERSITY LIBRARIES**
Jackson Library, Main Floor
Come meet the cutest pets at our therapy pet event hosted by University Libraries in partnership with North Carolina Pet Partners! Handlers and their animals will be stationed throughout the main floor of Jackson Library.

7:30 - 10:30 p.m.
**ACE INTEREST MEETING**
EUC Auditorium
Come learn about ACE! ACE is our university programming board that plans over 100 campus wide events each year. We are looking for students to join to help in the brainstorming, planning and execution of various events!

2:00 - 3:00 p.m
**BRONZE SPARTAN LEADERSHIP CHALLENGE KICK-OFF!**
EUC, Claxton
The Bronze level of the Spartan Leadership Challenge is open to all UNCG students and is a great way to meet new people, gain key career competencies, and develop essential leadership skills to create positive change. Enjoy some free cookies and brownies and learn more about how you can accept the challenge this semester!

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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 24

6 – 7 p.m.
HOW TO HAVE A SUCCESSFUL FIRST YEAR: STUDENT LED PANEL!
EUC, Auditorium
The Your First Year team is hosting a back to school panel for first year students! Student leaders will be leading a panel and sharing their advice on how to have a successful first year at UNCG.

12:00 – 12:30 p.m.
GALLERY TALK
Weatherspoon Art Museum
Learn how the museum curated its newest exhibition, Bestiary: Animals as Symbols and Metaphors, in this casual gallery talk.

4:00 – 4:30 p.m.
MIDWEEK MINDFULNESS
Weatherspoon Art Museum
Drop-in to mindfulness at the Weatherspoon offered every Wednesday from 4-4:30pm. Beginners welcome. No experience required.
THURSDAY, AUGUST 25

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3 - 6 p.m.
**WOMEN'S SOCCER VS LIBERTY**
*UNCG Soccer Stadium*
Come show your Spartan spirit and cheer on our Women's Soccer team!

4 - 8 p.m.
**SPARTAN COOKOUT!**
*The Fountain*
Join ACE, SGA, FSL and UNCG PD at the fountain for a cook out. There will be yard games, music and more! Food is first come first serve.

6:30 - 8:30 p.m.
**MEN'S SOCCER HOME OPENER VS UNC ASHEVILLE**
*UNCG Soccer Stadium*
Join us for the Men's Soccer Home Opener vs UNC Asheville!

5:30 - 7:00 p.m.
**HUMANITIES WELCOME BACK SOCIAL**
*Weatherspoon Art Museum*
The Humanities Network and Consortium (HNAC) hosts a welcome back event in the outdoor sculpture courtyard at the Weatherspoon Art Museum. Open to all. Free refreshments.
FRIDAY, AUGUST 26

6:00 – 8:30 p.m.
ACE EVENT: HYPNOTIST!
EUC, Auditorium

This is an interactive, laugh out loud, drop to your knees funny, comedy hypnosis show! In between each skit David will throw a ball into the crowd, then a random audience member who catches the ball will be shown 2 large cards. First is a black card with a scenario/skit, followed by a white card with possible outcomes. Based on the audience member’s decision that skit will be performed by the hypnotized participants on stage. This unpredictable show gives a truly unique experience for the hypnotized participants as well as the audience.

5 – 8 p.m.
VOLLEYBALL HOME OPENER
VS BETHUNE COOKMAN
Fleming Gym
Come show your Spartan spirit for the UNCG Volleyball Home Opener!
SATURDAY, AUGUST 27

11:00 a.m.– 5:00 p.m.
WATERMELON WELCOME BACK!
Piney Lake
Dive on the slip-n-slide, try the floating obstacle course, jump on the water trampoline or just relax on the lawn! Be sure to stay for the Watermelon Hunt, cornhole tournament, and grab a snow cone from Kona Ice!

10 a.m. - 1 p.m.
VOLLEYBALL VS COPPIN STATE
Fleming Gym
Come cheer on Women's Volleyball!

6 – 9 p.m.
VOLLEYBALL VS A&T
Fleming Gym
Show your Spartan spirit and come cheer on UNCG Volleyball vs A&T!
SUNDAY, AUGUST 28

6 – 9 p.m.
MEN'S SOCCER VS UNC WILMINGTON

UNCG Soccer stadium

Come cheer on Men's soccer vs UNC Wilmington!
MONDAY, AUGUST 29

10:00 -11:00 a.m.
BRONZE SPARTAN LEADERSHIP CHALLENGE KICK-OFF
EUC, Claxton

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TUESDAY, AUGUST 30

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11 a.m. - 2 p.m.
OLCE VOLUNTEER FAIR
EUC Cone Ballroom
Students, staff, faculty, and the UNCG community are invited to stop-in to this event to learn more about the many ways to connect with our community through service, internships, and advocacy.

Hosted by the Office of Leadership and Civic Engagement
Learn more at https://olce.uncg.edu/students/short-term-service/volunteer-service-learning-fair/

6:30 - 9:30 p.m.
UNCG NIGHT AT THE GRASSHOPPERS
Greensboro Grasshopper Stadium
Join us for a final $2 Tuesday game with hotdogs, sodas, water for only $2 each. Chancellor Gilliam and the Spirit Squad bring The G to the Grasshoppers (special discount ticket pricing pending...)

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TUESDAY, AUGUST 30
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 31

2 – 3 p.m.
**AAC TIME MANAGEMENT WORKSHOP**

*EUC, Sharpe*

Join the Academic Achievement Center for our one-hour workshop on time management, where we'll address:

- How to budget your time
- How to prioritize your tasks
- How to create a schedule that meets your needs

This workshop is free for all UNCG students to attend. Students can RSVP on our Events Calendar at go.uncg.edu/aac_owls to receive notifications and reminders.

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8:30 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.
**EUC RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE - CO-SPONSORED WITH SGA**

*EUC Cone Ballroom*

Do your part to save lives by signing up to donate at the EUC American Red Cross Blood Drive. All donors will receive a 10.00 E-Gift Card to a vendor of their choice and a Red Cross T-shirt (while supplies last). Students can also sign up to volunteer at the drive. Go to https://euc.uncg.edu/blood-drive/ for more information and to sign up.

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**MIDWEEK MINDFULNESS**

*Weatherspoon Art Museum*

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

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1 – 2:30 p.m.
FINDING A PART-TIME JOB + RESUME WORKSHOP!
Cone Ballroom A & B
Join Career & Professional Development for snacks, a resume workshop, and discussion about how to prepare for the September 1st Virtual Part-Time Job Fair! No resume required, we'll guide you on how to build one for the first time, or edit an existing one you may have.
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
SPARTAN ORIENTATION STAFF INTEREST MEETING
Virtual
Interested in being an SOS? Visit go.uncg.edu/spartanorientationstaff for more information!

2:00 - 4:00 p.m.
DROP-IN PLAY AT WAM
Weatherspoon Art Museum
Drop-in and play in the museum's new Inquiry Hubs.