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The Pickle Connection

Residence Life Programs & Housing 2011 Fall Informational Newsletter

Residence Hall Opening & Closing Dates

FALL SEMESTER 2011

- Aug. 12 – New High School students arrive (8:00a.m.–12p.m.)
- Aug. 15 – Returning High School students arrive (9:00 a.m.)
- Aug. 16 – New College students arrive (8:00 a.m.— 12:00 p.m.)
- Aug. 18 – Returning College students arrive (10 a.m.–5p.m.)
- Sept. 5 – Labor Day – No Classes
- Oct. 8-11– Fall Break-No Classes
- Nov. 23- Nov 27 - Thanksgiving Break (Residence Halls remain open)
- Dec. 5 – Intensive Arts Begins
- Dec. 18 – Residence Halls close at Noon

SPRING SEMESTER 2012

- Jan. 8 – Residence Halls open at Noon
- Jan. 9 – HS Academic Classes Begin
- Jan. 10 – College Classes Begin
- Jan. 16 – MLK Jr. Day – NO CLASSES
- March 3 – Residence Halls close at Noon
- Mar. 3-11 – SPRING BREAK
- Mar. 11 – Residence Halls open at Noon
- Apr-30-May 2 – Undergraduate Final Exams
- May 2– High School Classes Held
- May 6– Residence Halls/Apts. close for NON-graduating students at 6 p.m.
- May 7– Residence Halls/Apts. close for graduating students at 10 a.m.
- May 9– High School Classes Held
- May 11 – Last Day of High School Classes
- May 17– Residence Halls close for NON-graduating students at 6 p.m.
- May 19 – High School Commencement
Residence halls close at 4 p.m.

Greetings Incoming Fighting Pickles!!

Along with the entire Residence Life Programs & Housing staff, I would like to congratulate you on becoming a University of North Carolina School of the Arts Fighting Pickle. I hope this newsletter reaches you at an exciting time in your life. Transitional times can create anxiety and frustration and I want to make it a priority from our department to help you and your family during the upcoming transition to UNCSEA.

You will find in this newsletter a variety of helpful information that is designed to prepare you and your parents for many of the challenges of residential living. Please remember that all out of state high school students, First-year and sophomore college students are required to live on campus unless they meet detailed exceptions. The housing contract is for the entire academic year. I strongly encourage you to begin reviewing the student handbook for your area. The high school handbook can be located at <http://www.uncsa.edu/studentlife/forms/Handbooks/HighSchoolHandbook-current.pdf> and the college handbook is located at <http://www.uncsa.edu/studentlife/forms/Handbooks/CollegeHandbook-current.pdf>

The residence halls are wired for Ethernet connection, which will allow access to the campus network and the internet. To ensure proper connection to the campus network, you must have a 10/100 Ethernet port on your personal computer or laptop. Keeping your possessions properly stored and behind a locked door is a necessity in preventing theft. Please keep this in mind while thinking about which valuables you would like to bring with you to UNCSEA. North Carolina state law requires no smoking in any state facility and not with in 50 feet of any building entrance.

Please feel free to contact the Residence Life Programs & Housing Office at (336) 770-3280 if we can provide assistance in any way to make this transition as positive as possible. I look forward to meeting you!!

Sincerely,

Joe Rick

*Director of Residence Life Programs & Housing
rickj@uncsa.edu*

REMINDER!

Please return all health forms to avoid registration delays.

**THE RESIDENCE LIFE PROGRAMS & HOUSING OFFICE
IS LOCATED IN 334 HANES STUDENT COMMONS**

Phone # (336)770-3280 Fax# (336)631-1289

Hours: 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. Mon-Fri

Information for Undergraduate and Graduate Students

UNCSA Residence Life Programs & Housing Department provides on campus housing to over 525 of the undergraduate and graduate student population. The residential facilities include six traditional residence halls and apartment style housing in our Bailey Street and Center Stage areas, which are fully furnished. Every residence hall room has one window with blinds and all windows are the same size: 35 3/4 inches wide by 92 inches high.

Single Room (9'x14')	Double Room (13'x15')	Bailey Street (9' x 10.6')	Center Stage (11.2'x 11.10')
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Desk • Desk chair • Dresser • Standard twin bed • Clothes Wardrobe • Sink 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (2) standard twin beds • (2) Desks • (2) Desk chairs • (2) Dressers • Open faced closet • Sink 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (4) single bedrooms • Living Room <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Loveseat • Lounge Chair • Kitchen <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Refrigerator • Oven <p style="font-size: small; margin-top: 5px;">(Please bring all necessary cooking utensils)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • (2) Full-size bedroom suites • Living Room <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Loveseat • Lounge Chair • Kitchen <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Refrigerator • Oven & Microwave • Dishwasher & Disposal • Washer/Dryer <p style="font-size: small; margin-top: 5px;">(Please bring all necessary cooking utensils)</p>

All college rooms and apartments are equipped with basic cable TV hookup and Ethernet connection. A community phone with local telephone service will be located on each residence hall and one phone line per Bailey Street & Center Stage apartment. Residents will need to provide their own connecting cables for TV and Ethernet. Coin-operated and debit card laundry machines are available in the college residence halls as well as in the Bailey Street apartment complex. A television set is provided in residence hall lounges and vending facilities are available. Food may be kept in individual rooms if it is stored in a covered container.

Bicycle parking stands are provided outside the residence halls. All bicycles need to be registered with UNCSA Police. A covered "long-term" bike rack is located near the UNCSA Police headquarters. **Please bring a lock.**

The Residence Life Programs & Housing Department has adopted the following policies to help make the residence halls and apartments a safer place to live:

1. Toaster ovens, hot plates, or any other appliances with open heating elements are not permitted. Students may have popcorn poppers, coffee makers, microwave ovens, and small refrigerators (4.4 cubic feet or less).
2. There may be no more appliances plugged in at any one time than there are outlets in the room.
3. Students are asked to use a surge protector with a circuit breaker to plug in their appliances.
4. Candles, incense, oil lamps, and halogen lamps are not permitted in the residence hall rooms or apartments.
5. **Bailey Street and Center Stage Apartments may not have an outside grill of any type.**

QUAD OFFICE :

Located off the lounge between residence halls C & D, the office is staffed by the Resident Assistants and Resident Managers. Services provided include answering questions; submitting maintenance concerns; borrowing vacuum cleaner, broom, mop, and other cleaning supplies.

**HOURS: Nightly 8 p.m. – Midnight
(336)770-3373**



COLLEGE LIFE OFFICE:

Staffed by the College Life Coordinators
Located in 202 Hanes Student Commons
**Hours: Mon – Fri from 10 a.m.— 6 p.m.
(336)770-3282**

Joe Rick
Director of Residence Life Programs & Housing
is located in 335 Hanes Student Commons
**Hours: Mon – Fri from 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.
(336)770-3280**

Storage:

Storage is not available on campus. Large boxes, luggage, etc., will need to remain in a student's room.

Traveling from a Long Distance?

You may ship packages to your mailbox prior to your arrival. Mailbox assignments will be included in your room assignment letter and are accessible on the web for students.

TRASH REMOVAL

All residents are required to remove trash from their residence and place it in the dumpster located nearest their residence hall or apartment.

FYI!

As you pack everything you are bringing to campus keep in mind that the college residence halls are not equipped with elevators.

Information for High School Only

1. High school students are not allowed visitation in college residential halls or apartments.
2. There is a school-wide no smoking policy for all high school students, on or off campus.
3. All students must sign out whenever they leave campus even for official school trips.
4. All students in high school are granted the following privileges:
 - A. Permission to ride in school owned vehicles with staff or faculty of UNCOSA.
 - B. Permission to ride in a Wellness Center approved taxi or state vehicle for medical reasons.
NOTE: Staff are not allowed to transport students in personal vehicles.
 - C. Permission to go on official school outings within Forsyth County.
 - D. Permission to walk off campus in groups of two or larger before sunset.
5. Parents may change granted permissions on the permission form by contacting the High School Residence Life staff by letter, fax (336) 631-1555 or telephone (336) 770-3281. If permission is telephoned into the office we must receive confirmation in writing within one week of the request.
6. **High School residential students may not bring their car on campus at any time, or have access to a car in the community.**

C.U.K.E.S.

Campus Updates on Key Emergencies System



ATTENTION: Parents and Students

Sign up for emergency communications regarding man-made or natural disasters. This is a secure method to receive text messages and emails in the event of a campus wide emergency.

ONLY YOU can do this registration.

<https://services.uncsa.edu>

August 12, 2011. Computers will be available in the Connector Bldg., for your convenience.

The computer lab will also be open for students who have gotten their One Cards.



High School Residence Life Office Hours:

Phone #: 336-770-3281

Mon - Thurs: 8:00 a.m. - 11 p.m.

Fri.: 8:00 a.m. - 12 a.m.

Sat.: Noon - 12 a.m.

Sun: Noon - 11 p.m.

Double Room-High School

- (2) Standard twin beds
- (2) Desks
- (2) Desk chairs
- (2) Dressers
- (2) Wardrobe Closets
- (1) Sink



Host Family Program

The Host Family program connects international and out of state students with local families to ease transition of being away from home and in a new community. The program may also provide a place to get away for an occasional home-cooked meal or place to relax off campus.

We invite all students and families to join the program!

Curfew Times for Fall

	weeknights	weekends
9th grade	10:00 p.m.	10:00 p.m.
10th grade	10:00 p.m.	10:30 p.m.
11th grade	10:00 p.m.	11:00 p.m.
12th grade	10:00 p.m.	11:30 p.m.

General Information for ALL Students

Student Life Professional Staff Telephone Listings

Numbers begin with (336)770-
E-mail: _____@uncsa.edu

STUDENT AFFAIRS OFFICE Fax: 770-1316

Ward Caldwell, 3274 caldwellw
Dean of Students
Alice Thompson 3275 thompsona
Executive Assistant to the Dean of Students

COUNSELING Fax: 631-1492

Tom Murray, Director 3277 murrayt
Paige Greason, Counselor 3276 greasong
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Denise Lewis 1453 lewisd
Learning Specialist

RESIDENCE LIFE PROGRAMS Fax: 631-1289

Joe Rick, Director 3280 rickj
Nakita Green 3280 greenn
Administrative Associate
Ramona Richmond, 3280 richmond
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Steve Holland, CSA Mgr. 722-6775 hollands
Wayne Cameron, Maint. 3280
James Devine, Maint. 3280

COLLEGE LIFE Fax: 631-1289

Thomas DiStefano 734-2910 distefanot
Housing Coordinator
Stacey Baisden 3282 baidens
Programming Coordinator
Kole Metz 631-1215 metzk
Judicial Coordinator

HIGH SCHOOL LIFE Fax: 631-1555

Jennifer Wells 631-1218 wellsj
Associate Director for High School Life
J. Scott Hendershot 3371 hendershotj
Residence Hall Director ~Moore Hall
Kelli Perkins 3364 perkink
Residence Hall Director ~Sanford Hall
Nyambi Shannon, RHC 3372 shannonn
Alison Whitcomb, RHC 3372 whitcomb
Melike Ince, RHC 3372 incem
Edwin Martinat, 734-2941 martinat
High School Event Coordinator

RHC= Residence Hall Coordinator

STUDENT SUCCESS Fax: 631-1234

Debbie Frezell, 631-1216 frezelld
Director of Student Success
Steven Gallagher, 631-1217 gallaghers
Student Development Specialist
Abby Coleman, 631-1266 colemana
Student Success Coordinator

TRANSPORTATION Office: 770-1476

WELLNESS CENTER Fax: 770-1492

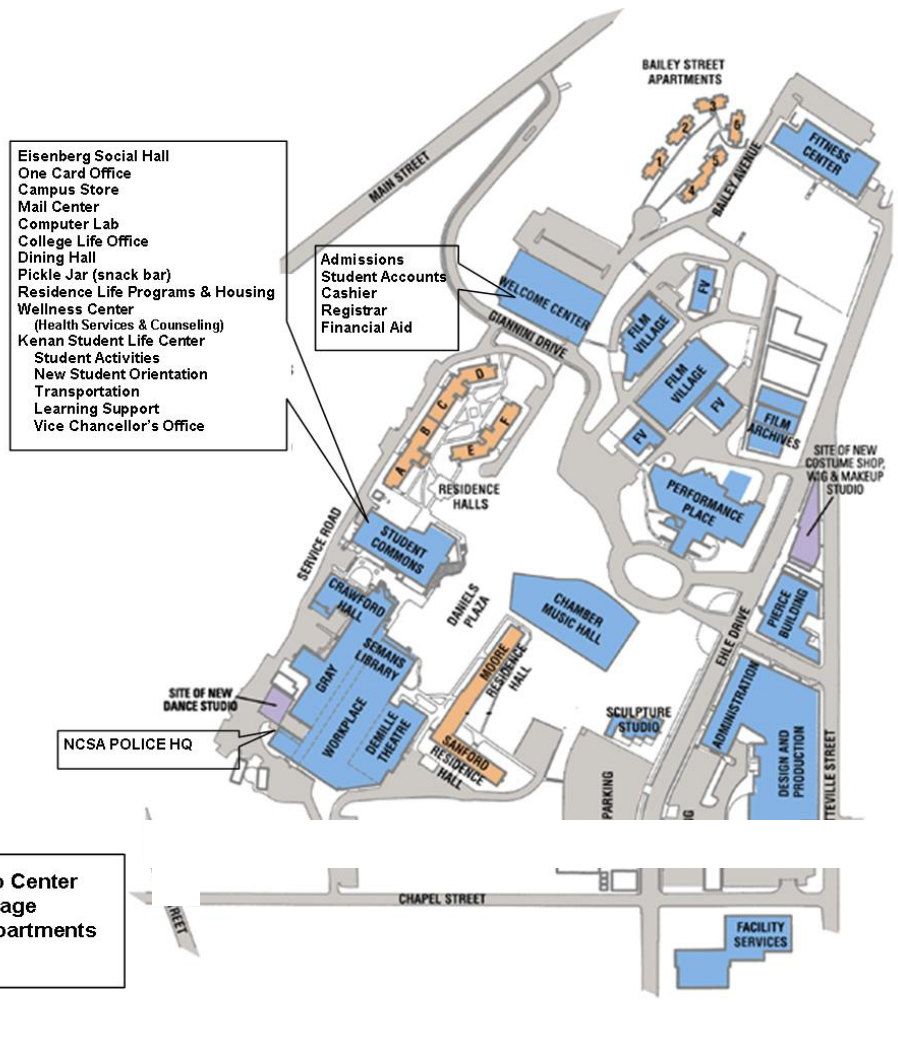
Ann Potter, NP, Dir. 3288 pottera
Suzanne Miller, Nutritionist 3288 suzannem
Laura Santos, Athletic Trainer 3288 santosl

UNCSA Police

Office: (336) 770-3321
On-campus emergency: 55
Off-campus emergency: (336) 770-3362

Suggested List of Things to Bring for All Students

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| Hair dryer | Calling Card (long distance calls) |
| Pillow and pillowcase | Tension rod for curtains (opt.) |
| Sheets (standard twin bed) | Broom, mop, dust pan (opt.) |
| Towels/washcloths | Sturdy key ring |
| Alarm clock | Telephone and cord |
| Desk lamp (not halogen) | Quarters (for vending) |
| Personal toilet articles | Flashlight |
| School supplies (pen, pencil, paper) | Rugs (small scatter, optional) |
| Cable cord for TV (if bringing one) | Ethernet connection cable |
| Sponge and cleanser | Pots & pans for use in area kitchens |
| Rubber shower shoes (opt.) | Memo board for door |
| Small plastic bucket (to carry personal items to shower) | Umbrella |
| Coat hangers | Waste basket |
| Multi-plug extension cord with circuit breaker | Laundry detergent |
| Full size sheets (Center Stage Residents only) | Floor Lamp (Center Stage Residents only) |



To Center Stage Apartments