Boiler Gold Rush 2012 Program Schedule Transfer Track (TTP)

Coordinated by: Student Access, Transition and Success Programs

Saturday, August 11 -Wednesday, August 15

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Saturday, August 11

All meals for new students on Saturday are on their own

8:00 am - 4:00 pm BGR Check-in

3:30 pm – 5:00 pm Family Orientation Session (Elliott Hall)

- Opportunities for Parents and Family members to interact Purdue administrators
- Additional resources specific to family members will be available
- **Parents will meet a team leader outside your hall at 3:10 PM to lead them to Elliott.

5:00 pm - 7:30 pm Dinner on your own

 Hillenbrand, Earhart, Ford and Wiley dining halls will be OPEN.

7:30 pm – 8:00 pm Meeting with Resident Assistant (in halls)

 New students will meet their RA, other new students and BGR Team Leaders

8:00 pm – 11:00 pm University Residences/BGR Programming Slavter Hill

 Variety of programs offered throughout campus for students

Sunday, August 12

Breakfast and Lunch for all students are on their own.

8:00 am - 3:00 pm BGR Check-in

Various halls

12:00 pm - 4:00 pm BGR Check-in for Off-Campus Students

Off-campus check-in will take place from noon-4pm in the Stewart Center EAST Foyer (ticket booths)

3:30 pm - 5:00 pm Family Orientation Session

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4:30 pm – 5:00 pm Meeting with Resident Assistant (at halls)

5:00 pm

Transfer students meet at Slayter Hill to get in specific transfer teams!

5:00 pm - 8:00 pm

"Meet the Team" REACTION

- New students will meet their BGR group and Team Leader
- If you aren't eating at the Picnic, you are meeting your BGR teams!!

5:30 pm - 8:00 pm

Boiler Bash

University Residences/Follett's Welcome Dinner New students will go with their TEAMS!!

7:00 pm

Transfer Kickoff

• Welcome from Transfer Transition Coordinators

8:30 pm - 10: 50 pm

New Student Induction and BGR Opening Ceremonies (Elliott Hall of Music)

- Welcome and Challenge by administrators
- Boiler Gold Rush Staff Introductions
- o Keynote speaker- Grant Baldwin

Monday, August 13

6:30 am – 8:30 am

Breakfast

9:00 am - 11:00 am

Boiler Up Rally: An Up-Close Look at Purdue Athletics (Ross Ade) Rain Plan: Mackey Arena

- o March in to Ross Ade behind the All American Band
- o Learn "Hail Purdue" and various cheers
- Cheerleaders, Band, Purdue Pete, Boilermaker Special & Extra Special

11:30 am - 1:00 pm

Traditions Walk

(Learn some of the traditions around campus as you take a little tour around your new home!)

11:30 am - 1:00 pm

Lunch

(Groups switch between Traditions Walk and lunch)

2:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Safety and Wellness session in Elliott Hall of Music (You do not want to miss it and hear from the group that takes care of the Boilermaker Special!)

REACTION 3:45 pm - 4:20 pm

> Small group discussions on issues of student wellness will be lead by Team Leader.

Interest Sessions 4:30 pm - 5:15 pm

(All over campus)

6:00 pm - 11:00 pm Unionfest

Late Night with Rec Sports

- Groups will be split into tracks and will attend one of the programs above.
- Unionfest is an event that is held at our Memorial Union and dinner is included.
- Late Night with Rec Sports will be located at the Recreational Sports Center and dinner will be at the assigned dining court.

"Meijer Mania" 10:30 pm - 2:00 am

Lafayette Meijer

Buses leave/drop off from the various bus stops for entire time

- Free food
- Great discounts
- **Entertainment/Games**

Tuesday, August 14

Breakfast 6:30 am - 9:30 am

Structured free time with team leaders! 9:30 am - 11:00 am

11:00 am - 2:00 pm Lunch

Activity and Business Fair (Armory) 11:00 am - 2:00 pm

(Groups are split into tracks and will go with their groups to lunch and Activity and Business Fair)

Diversity Session (FreeZone) in Elliott Hall of Music 2:15 pm - 3:40 pm (You do not want to miss this event!)

- Hear from the Cultural Centers on campus
- See a skit performed for Purdue students by Purdue students
- Have great dialogue with peers!

FreeZone REACTION 3:50 pm - 4:20 pm

> Students will meet to have small group discussions surrounding the topic of diversity at Purdue

4:30 pm – 5:15 pm Interest Sessions (All over campus)

4:30 pm Extended Tour of Campus for Transfer Students

• Visit with Chauncey area vendors

6:00 pm - 11:00 pm Unionfest

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10:00 pm - 12:30 am "Target Run"

Lafayette Target

Buses leave/drop off from the various bus stops for entire time

- Free food
- Great discounts
- Entertainment/Games

Wednesday, August 15

6:30 am – 9:30 am Breakfast

10:15 am - 11:00 am Life at Purdue REACTION

Lunch will **NOT** be served in the dining halls today

11:00 am – 1:00 pm "Meet the Schools" Picnic (Memorial Mall)

Rain Plan: Armory

- Students eat lunch and mingle with faculty and staff from their respective schools
- o Free pizza provided by Papa John's

University Resource Fair (Engineering Mall)

Resources may include: Academic Success Center, CAPS, Purdue Libraries, Study Abroad, Women's Resource Network, Diversity Resource Office, Student Employment, Center for Career Opportunities, Purdue Police & Fire, CityBus, Office of the Dean of Students, etc.

1:30 pm - 1:55 pm Elliott Hall of Music event

2:00 pm- Transfer specific Academic and Classroom Experience Session

- Hear from a professor and current students
- Ask questions to resources on campus

4:00 pm - 4:30 pm Academic and Common Reading REACTION

 Students will participate in small group discussions about academic success at Purdue

5:15 pm - 7:15 pm Dinner

7:15 pm Transfer Send-Off Reception

8:15 pm - 11:00 pm BGR Send-Off Ceremony in Elliott Hall of Music (You do not want to miss this event!!)

- Welcome by our Lafayette and West Lafayette representatives
- Keynote speaker: The Dating Doctor, David Coleman
- New Boilermaker surprise by our own BGR student staff!

11:15 pm – Midnight Send-off REACTION

Review activities the rest of the week, make sure all questions/concerns are answered and plan gatherings with your new friends when school begins!

More events for Thursday-Sunday to be published very soon!

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