PLANNING FOR FALL

We hope everyone is enjoying their summer and looking forward to being back on campus this fall. As you've undoubtedly read, things will be a bit different this fall. Be sure to check out information regarding the Protect Purdue Plan and the Protect Purdue Pledge at https://protect.purdue.edu/ and below.

As leaders within your organization, please begin preparing members for a different experience this fall. As you and your executive team rethink programs, structures, and typical fall activities consider reaching out for a one on one with your FSCL Advisor.

Staff are available via phone, email, and through video conferencing. We encourage you to be in touch throughout the summer as you make preparations for the fall. Staff are prepared to help you think through various strategies, ask critical questions you may not consider, and provide support.

- Book online to meet with Spencer, Amanda or James
- To meet with Brandon, please contact him via email.

STATEMENT ON BLACK LIVES MATTER

Interfraternity Council, Multicultural Greek Council, National Pan-Hellenic Council, Panhellenic Association, and Purdue Cooperative Council

The Fraternity, Sorority, and Cooperative Life Community at Purdue University upholds strong values and expects all members of our community to support and embody these values. Among our values include diversity, justice, and equality. Our 5 councils and 92 organizations on campus stand together and do not tolerate acts of hatred, bigotry, or violence. We encourage all members of our community to speak out against racism and hatred, and we expect our members to stand with us in promoting inclusion and acceptance by finding constructive ways to give back, supporting all of our brothers and sisters, standing up for what is right, and supporting the truth that Black Lives do Matter.

We must stand together to bring change, stay strong and stay safe.

IFC, MGC, NPHC, PCC, & PHA

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UPDATE CONTACT INFO

Stay up to date with FSCL
Update new officer/advisor contact information by emailing fscl@purdue.edu

Community report will be sent around 7/8
help us make sure it goes to the right place!
PROTECT PURDUE

On June 12, Purdue released the Protect Purdue Plan, a 23 page comprehensive report that details how a strategic 8-point approach will get students back on campus and classes in session as safely as possible.

TO PROTECT THE HEALTH AND SAFETY OF THE PURDUE COMMUNITY, WE WILL:

1. Expect each Boilermaker to assume personal responsibility to Protect Purdue – myself, others, our Purdue community.
2. Implement personal health safety practices and protocols.
3. Enact health safety changes in physical spaces.
4. Offer a range of instructional options for students and faculty.
5. Identify and protect the most vulnerable members of the Purdue community.
6. Engage our stakeholders with consistent, compelling and timely communication and clear guidance.
7. Advance our research mission in a safe and responsible way.
8. Anticipate and plan for contingencies.

In Point 1 "Create a culture of safety and accountability through a universal pledge. Every member of the Boilermaker community will sign, take protective measures and act accordingly with the Protect Purdue Pledge and its individual components on and off campus.

- All will participate in training exercises to learn the required safety practices and navigate the new normal on campus.
- All students, faculty and staff must receive the flu vaccination in the fall, subject to established exceptions.
- All students, faculty and staff will monitor for and report all symptoms of COVID-19 to the Protect Purdue Health Center. The PPHC will oversee our comprehensive and integrated plan for monitoring the health and safety of our community (more details on page 12).
- All will practice critical personal safety practices including wearing face masks, enhanced personal hygiene practices including frequent hand washing and sanitizer use, adhering to safe social distancing practices and following all safety instructions and signage.
- All will keep personal belongings and all living, studying and working spaces clean.
- All will participate in testing and contact tracing under prescribed protocols.

WELLNESS KITS

Wellness kits will be provided by the university to all students. In order to aid in the process of distribution, Please fill out this form by July 4.

FSCL will be assisting our organizations with obtaining the correct amount of kits. Please include ALL returning member in your count. This form should be filled out ONCE. If you have additional questions, please reach out as soon as possible.

Read more about the wellness kits on page 10 of the Protect Purdue Plan.
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MULTICULTURAL GREEK COUNCIL (MGC)

“Being a part of the Boilermaker community means that each of us must take extraordinary steps to stay well and persistently protect each other, on campus and in the community. Accountable together, I pledge to take responsibility for my own health, the protection of others and help keep the Purdue community safe from spread of COVID-19 and other infections as identified and instructed by the university.” -Protect Purdue Pledge

The Purdue Multicultural Greek Council, its organizations, and its members, are committed to keeping the health and safety of our students our first priority. These past few months have been scary, uncertain, and unprecedented, so we must move forward as a community with careful thought and planning. Like the Protect Purdue Pledge above, we pledge to protect ourselves, others, and the Purdue community.

While connectedness, communication, and unity are values we hold strongly, it is more important to MGC that our students are healthy and safe first. This why why large scale events greater than 150 students (as mandated by the official statement from Purdue) will be cancelled for Fall 2020, and smaller social events will follow social distancing rules and all participants will be required to wear a mask—until there is new information and scientific findings that allow us to return to normal activities. Meanwhile, MGC will dedicate time and resources to ensuring that students, new and old, will have innovative opportunities for developing social interactions, communities, and well-being.

PANHELLENIC ASSOCIATION

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The Purdue Panhellenic Association expects all of our members keep and promote the Protect Purdue Pledge, by prioritizing the safety and wellbeing of the women of our community. We expect each and every member to hold their organizations and the entire Panhellenic Association accountable now more than ever. We want to ensure all of our 21 Panhellenic organizations will continue to stay in good standing with Purdue University. The Panhellenic Board along with the entire Fraternity, Sorority, and Cooperative Life office will continue to update the community as we receive and learn more information.