

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA

week of welcome
WOW

FIRST
fifty
DAYS



EVENTS BROCHURE

#NewBeginnings
FALL 2015

USF STUDENT AFFAIRS
UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA

NEW STUDENT CONNECTIONS

WELCOME TO USF!

Welcome to the University of South Florida! The Week of Welcome (WOW) is a campus-wide program that aims to make you feel at home. WOW is packed with social, informative, and academic events and activities providing you with the chance to meet and interact with other students, faculty and staff.



NEW STUDENT CONNECTIONS

College is one of the greatest adventures you'll ever experience—make sure you don't do it alone! New Student Connections (NSC) is here to help you meet new friends and discover your place on campus. NSC supports your successful transition to college by creating shared experiences that connect you to the USF community. Let NSC make your first year fantastic! Contact us at newstudent.usf.edu.

YOUR KEY TO WOW

Not sure which events to attend? Look for the following icons throughout this brochure:

W A USF tradition for **ALL** Bulls to attend!

FY Perfect events for **First-Year** students!

T Events suited for our **Transfer** Bulls!

G Events our **Graduate** students should attend!

I Excellent events for **International** Students



Top Things To Do Your **First Fifty Days** to Feel Like a Bull!



- Attend at least two Week of Welcome events, including USF's tradition – Round-Up!
- Participate in the Class Photo!
- Sing the Fight Song at a USF athletic event.
- Explore the Marshall Student Center to find your perfect study spot.
- Be active! Get your heart pumping at Campus Recreation.
- Explore campus on the USF Bull Runner.
- Grab your new friends and take a photo at the MSC Bulls fountain.
- Purchase the USF Our Shirt for \$5 at the USF Bookstore.
- Get some sun at Castor Beach!
- Enjoy your lunch at the "Mickey" sculpture on campus.
- Pick out your favorite flower at the USF Botanical Gardens.
- Eat some popcorn at a "Movies on the Lawn" flick.
- Join a Network – find others that share your interests, passions, and hobbies (New Student Connections can fill you in)! Find out how to join on **page 18**.
- Add New Student Connections to your contact list, you never know when you'll need help! 813-974-2896.



CAMPUS HOT SPOTS!

Looking for a place to hang? Check out these campus hot spots!

- Campus Recreation (REC)
- Centre Gallery (MSC 2nd floor)
- Contemporary Art Museum (CAM)
- MSC Skypad (MSC 4th floor)
- USF Bookstore (BKS)
- USF Botanical Gardens (GAR)
- Wellness Center (MSC 1st Floor)



WOW! There are a lot of great activities to begin your new year!

WOW is designed to help you start your USF experience on the right foot. The following events will help you meet new people and fuel your campus excitement. WOW is a great way to make your first connections to USF and get the inside scoop on campus life. There are tons of opportunities to get involved during WOW, so **live the tradition, join the stampede and most importantly... GO BULLS!**

THURSDAY, AUGUST 20

9AM -
3:30PM

HOUSING GRAND OPENING

Marshall Student Center (MSC) Ballroom

Welcome to USF! The residential move-in process begins at the Marshall Student Center where you will pick up your keys, complete any necessary forms, activate your University ID, and verify that your dining plan is active. Once you've cleared check-in, you'll drive to your hall's unloading area where there will be a Bull Haul move-in crew to assist you!

4PM

MEET UP WITH YOUR PEERS

Your Residential Community

Connect with your Resident Assistant (RA) for WOW's opening event and an afternoon of excitement and fun! Meet up with others in your building at the location indicated on posters in your residence hall.

4:30 -
5:30PM

CELEBRATION: WOW KICKOFF

Marshall Student Center (MSC)

Kick off Week of Welcome and your first year at USF! Meet current students and staff, stop by offices, and learn what it means to be a USF Bull. Join hundreds of Bulls as we count down the official start of your USF experience. Be sure to sign the **Class of 2019 Flag** in New Student Connections.

5:30 -
7PM

DINNER WITH NEW STUDENT CONNECTIONS

Marshall Student Center (MSC) Food Court

Looking for someone to have dinner with or just want to expand your network of friends? Join current USF students for laughs and fun! Be sure to have cash handy to purchase dinner.



THURSDAY, AUGUST 20

6-10PM

VIP SHOPPING EXPERIENCE

USF Bookstore (BKS)

The bookstore rolls out the red carpet for a personalized one-on-one shopping experience to assist you with all your course material needs – textbooks, supplies, and more! Ordered online? This is a great time to pick up your order. With music, giveaways and the chance to win a \$500 USF Bookstore gift card, you won't want to miss this event!



7PM

MEET UP WITH YOUR PEERS

Your Residential Community

Connect with your RA for an evening of fun. Meet up with others in your building at the location indicated on posters in your residence hall.

7-8PM

STUDENT ORGANIZATION SHOWCASE **FY T**

Marshall Student Center (MSC) Atrium

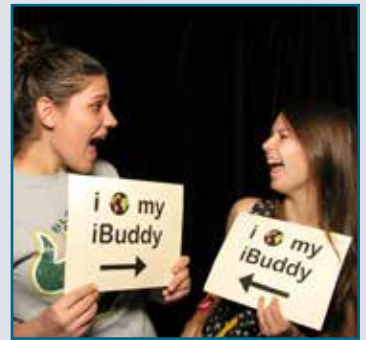
Find out how to get involved! Join the Center for Leadership and Civic Engagement for a fantastic involvement fair and a showcase of a sampling of the over 600 student organizations on campus. Visit usf.edu/BullSync for more information.

8-11PM

WELCOME BACK JAM **FY T I**

Marshall Student Center (MSC) Ballroom

Nothing says "welcome back" like Welcome Back Jam! Join the Office of Multicultural Affairs for a night filled with food, dance and performances from multicultural organizations at USF.



9PM

MOVIE NIGHT: PITCH PERFECT 2

Marshall Student Center (MSC) Oval Theatre

Watch the newly released blockbuster, Pitch Perfect 2, while you relax in the air conditioning of the MSC. Bring your friends and enjoy a movie with the Center for Student Involvement.

COMPLETE REMAINING CAMPUS BUSINESS BEFORE CLASSES START

- ✓ Obtain your USF ID card
- ✓ Purchase your parking permit
- ✓ Live on campus? Find your mailing address
- ✓ Purchase your textbooks
- ✓ Review tuition and fees

usf.edu/admissions/freshman/accepted.aspx



9 -
11:30AM

GET YOUR BIKE REGISTERED WITH USF POLICE! **FY T**
Marshall Student Center (MSC) Atrium

Protect your investment and allow the USF Police to help you recover your bicycle, should it be lost or stolen, by registering it with the Bicycle Anti-Theft (BAT) program. Just bring your bicycle and a picture id card (preferably your driver's license).

11AM -
2PM

BACKYARD COOKOUT
Fresh Food Company (RAR) and Castor Lawn (RBC)

The Fresh Food Company is hosting a Backyard Cookout to welcome you back to campus. Pop in and out of the dining hall to experience the festivities, featuring a live DJ, samples, games, prizes, and more. **Cost for USF Student: Use your Meal Plan or pay \$9.36+tax for cash customers.**

12-2PM

CLASS QUEST: FIND YOUR CLASSES! **FY T I**
Marshall Student Center (MSC) Atrium

Visit the Green and Gold Guides to help you figure out the best routes to get around campus and find out where your classes are! Bring your class schedule.

1-3PM

iBUDDY KICKOFF **FY I**
Marshall Student Center (MSC) Ballroom

The International Buddy (iBuddy) Program pairs international and domestic students together for cultural exchange and friendship. Join the Office of Multicultural Affairs to discover how you can become an iBuddy, learn about different cultures, and meet people from around the world.

4-4:45PM

COMMUNITY CONNECT: MEET YOUR FLOOR **FY**
Your Residential Community

Connect with your RA for the class photo and some fun activities! Meet up with others in your building at the location indicated on posters in your residence hall and get to know one another and USF!

5-6:30PM

CAPTURE: CLASS OF 2019 PHOTO **T**
Corbett Soccer Stadium (SPS)

Put on a **WHITE** t-shirt and join the Class of 2019 for USF's annual tradition – the Class Photo! Gather with other new students to spell out U-S-F! Be part of USF's history with New Student Connections, USF Athletics, Herd of Thunder Marching Band, Housing & Residential Education, Wellness USF, and Student Government. Don't be late - arrive by 5pm to make it in the photo. Don't forget to eat before you arrive and drink plenty of water – it will be HOT!

KEY LOCATIONS

Hours on 8/21

Admissions (SVC 1036)
9AM-5PM

Cashier's Office (SVC 1039)
9AM-5PM

Dining Services (Meal Plan office MSC 1502)
9AM-5PM

Office of the Registrar (SVC 1034)
9AM-5PM

USF Bookstore (BKS)
8AM-5PM

USF Credit Union (CRU)
9AM-6PM

University Scholarships and Financial Aid Services (SVC 1102)
8AM-5PM (by phone)



FRIDAY, AUGUST 21



HYPNOSIS SHOW - CJ JOHNSON

Marshall Student Center (MSC) Ballroom

Join the Campus Activities Board (CAB) for this very popular USF tradition! Be part of the action as students are hypnotized in an evening of hilarious, good-natured fun.

2 SHOWS: 7:30PM, 9:30PM



8-11PM

COFFEE HOUSE

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 2708

Join the Baptist Collegiate Ministries for an evening of canvas painting, live music and games!

11PM-1AM

BREAKFAST AT MIDNIGHT

USF Wesley Building (WFC - USF Sycamore Dr.)

Who doesn't love breakfast for dinner? End the evening with Wesley Foundation at USF and have some breakfast! Of course, there will be fun, music, and entertainment.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 22



8:30AM

MEET UP WITH YOUR PEERS

Your Residential Community

Don't miss out! Connect with your RA for a morning of service and fun! Meet up with others in your building at the location indicated on posters in your residence hall.

9AM-1PM

CHARGE: GRAB SERVICE BY THE HORNS!

Marshall Student Center (MSC) Atrium

Join hundreds of your fellow Bulls and the Center for Leadership and Civic Engagement in a day of service to the Tampa Bay community. Make friends. Make memories. Make a difference! RSVP online by searching CHARGE on usf.edu/BullSync or arrive at 8:30am to register! Service spots will fill on a first-come, first-serve basis.

10AM-12PM

FANFEST 2015

Sun Dome (SUN)

Join USF Athletics for an opportunity to interact and meet USF coaches and athletes! USF football coaches and players will be joined by USF's men's and women's soccer, volleyball, and cross country programs in a morning full of great experiences and fun for all Bulls fans!

12:30-2:30PM

BURGERS AND BEATS

Marshall Student Center (MSC) Atrium

The Office of Fraternity & Sorority Life and USF's 49 fraternities and sororities kick off the new school year with burgers, live music, performances from student organizations, a stroll-off, awesome giveaways, and a chance to socialize with members of the USF community!



4-4:45PM

COMMUNITY CONNECT: MEET YOUR FLOOR **FY** *Your Residential Community*

Connect with your RA and the students on your floor/pod for some fun activities. Meet up with others in your building at the location indicated on posters in your residence hall and get to know one another and USF!

5-6:30PM

EMERGE: THE NETWORK KICKOFF **FY T I** *Marshall Student Center (MSC) Ballroom*

Get connected, have fun, and formally register for The Network! Learn more about the different Networks available, get a sample schedule of the semester's events, and meet the Network Leaders. Make immediate connections with other students who share your interests, passions, or hobbies!

2015 Fall Networks include: Community Service, Crafting, International Interest, Leadership, Movies & Film, Outdoor Adventure, Sports, Touring Tampa, Video Gaming, and Workout & Wellness. For more information, visit page 18.



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MEN'S SOCCER VS. UNIVERSITY OF TAMPA **FY T** ROWDIES CUP

Corbett Soccer Stadium (SPS)

Support the Men's Soccer Team as they host local rival University of Tampa for the annual Rowdies Cup! Grab your friends, wear your best green and gold, and join in on the fun! Go Bulls!

7:45-9:15PM

TACOS AND TRIVIA *Marshall Student Center (MSC) 2708*

Chow down on some tacos and test your random knowledge in a round of trivia with The Navigators Ministry! Meet new friends and win prizes as you tackle topics such as sports, USF, movies, music, pop culture, history, and more!

8:30-10PM

CORRAL: SPEED FRIENDING **FY** *Marshall Student Center (MSC) Ballroom*

Break the ice with your new USF peers! Meet other USF Bulls, play games, and build your new community! Join New Student Connections and Campus Recreation for a unique opportunity to make immediate connections with other students!

10:30PM-12:30AM

TARGET TAKEOVER *Target on Bruce B. Downs and Fletcher Ave.*

Need something for your room or class that you didn't already buy? Worry not! Join the Office of Fraternity & Sorority Life, Target, and members of the fraternity and sorority community for an exclusive opportunity for USF students to take over the local Target!

- *Need transportation? Charter bus pick-up/drop off locations: Juniper-Poplar Hall bus stops on Beard Dr. and the Marshall Student Center bus circle.*



- COMMUNITY SERVICE NETWORK
- CRAFTING NETWORK
- INTERNATIONAL INTEREST NETWORK
- LEADERSHIP NETWORK
- MOVIES & FILM NETWORK
- OUTDOOR ADVENTURE NETWORK
- SPORTS NETWORK
- TOURING TAMPA NETWORK
- VIDEO GAMING NETWORK
- WORKOUT & WELLNESS NETWORK



SUNDAY, AUGUST 23

SUNDAY WORSHIP KICKOFF

*USF Wesley Building (WFC - USF Sycamore Dr.),
10:45AM-12:15PM*

Each week the Wesley Foundation puts on a Sunday Service. Join us for contemporary worship, an uplifting message, and an opportunity to get connected at this college ministry.

BACK TO SCHOOL BBQ

Beta Picnic Area/Sports Courts (RBE), 12:30-3:30PM

Kick back and meet some new faces while playing basketball, frisbee, & volleyball and enjoying BBQ with the Navigators Christian Ministry.

H2O SPLASH

Andros Pool (RAN), 1:30-5:30PM

Join the brothers of Lambda Theta Phi, the sisters of Lambda Theta Alpha, the Caribbean Cultural Exchange, and Dominican American Student Association for our pool party! Cool by the pool with us, enjoy food and more!

MANDATORY FLOOR MEETING

Various Residence Hall Locations, 6-10PM

Look for signs about when and where your mandatory floor meeting will take place. Use this time to meet others living on your floor, learn more about expectations of you as a member of the USF residential community, share your ideas for floor activities and programs, and hear about resources available to you while living on campus. **Remember, this meeting is mandatory.**

MONDAY, AUGUST 24 – FIRST DAY OF CLASS

CAMPUS WELCOME STATIONS

*3 locations: Business Administration (BSN),
Cooper Hall (CPR), & Chemistry (CHE), 8AM-4PM*

Need to be steered in the right direction? USF staff will be manning tents to provide directions to your classes and other useful information. Sponsored by USF administrative employees.

USF HEALTH INFORMATION STATION

The WELL Front Desk (MDA), 8AM-5PM

Come on over to the WELL, grab a map, and start exploring USF Health! Stop by August 24-28.

GRADUATE STUDENT "FRESH" START

John and Grace Allen Building (ALN) Graduate Student Lounge 209, 9-11AM

Visit the NEWLY RENOVATED lounge and get a "FRESH" start to the semester with coffee, juice, and morning pastries provided by the Office of Graduate Studies and Graduate and Professional Student Council (GPSC).

SHARE A COKE

Marshall Student Center (MSC) Atrium, 10AM-4PM

The Share a Coke Tour is coming to USF! Don't miss your chance to get your own personalized mini-cans!

STUDENT INNOVATION INCUBATOR

Marshall Student Center (MSC) Atrium, 11AM-2PM

If you want to make your college experience unlike any other, learn about starting your own business at the Student Innovation Incubator! Event takes place again at the same time and location on August 28.

FREE SCHOOL SUPPLIES

Outside of Bookstore (BKS), 11AM-1PM

Interested in medical school? Come meet the members of Phi Delta Epsilon, get information about our organization, and enjoy free school supplies to start off a great year! Stop by August 24-28.

PLAY LIKE THERE'S NO TOMORROW!

Intramural Sports (IMs) is a great way to meet new friends, get active, and have fun! Women's, men's, and co-rec leagues are offered in every sport and winners of each league earn an IM Champion t-shirt. Register a team or as a free agent beginning at 9AM on August 24th.

Register online with your NetID at usf.edu/campusrec



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MONDAY, AUGUST 24 – FIRST DAY OF CLASS

CENTRE GALLERY PRESENTS: HELD TOGETHER

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 2700, 11AM-5PM

Explore *Held Together*, a collection of sculptural works that explore material, scale, and color. Exhibit ends 9/4.

SPRINKLE IN SOME FUN **FY T**

Marshall Student Center (MSC) Amphitheater (Rain Site: SVC Breezeway), 11:30AM-1PM

Welcome back! Come hang out with your OTL, TM, and fellow Bulls while enjoying delicious ice cream and learning how to get involved with the Office of Orientation by becoming a student leader!

CENTRE GALLERY: DESSERT

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 2700, 12-1PM

Join the Centre Gallery for the first DessART of the year! You will get a chance to view beautiful art while talking with artists and enjoying some delicious snacks!

WELLNESS CENTER OPEN HOUSE

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 1504, 1-3PM

Receive a 5-minute massage, play X-Box Kinect, make your own trail mix, and learn about the services that Wellness Education offers just for you.

HEALTH PROFESSIONS INFORMATION FAIR

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 2708, 2-5PM

Do you dream of becoming a Doctor? Dentist? Etc? Meet the Health Professions Advisors & the Pre-Med AMSA Student Organization to receive valuable pre-health information!

UNITED NATIONS ASSOCIATION ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 3708, 4-5PM

Enjoy ice cream with the United Nations Association Student Alliance while making new friends and finding out about United Nations community service opportunities!

MEET THE SPIRIT OF USF **FY T**

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 3705, 5-7PM

Enjoy ice cream and music with the USF Ambassadors and USF Alumni Association and learn more about the Spirit of USF!

WELCOME BACK BBQ

Castor Lawn (RBC), 5-7PM

Celebrate the end of the first day of class with a pulled pork sandwich, corn hole, and other lawn games with Reformed University Fellowship.

GLOBAL MEDICAL DENTAL BRIGADES INFO SESSION

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 2707, 6-7PM

Global Medical Dental Brigades invites you to a once in a lifetime medical trip to a foreign country where you provide medical, dental, and public health services.

BULLS RADIO BLOCK PARTY

Marshall Student Center (MSC) Amphitheater, 7-9PM

Join Bulls Radio and many other organizations at the Bulls Radio Block Party! A party with live music, food, and information about different student organizations!

LIP SYNC BATTLE

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 2708, 7:30-9:30PM

Battle on the stage and show off your lip syncing skills or just come meet new people and be entertained with the Navigators Christian Ministry.

GLOW-ULTIMATE FRISBEE

Magnolia Fields (MFC), 8:30-9:30PM

Do you play Ultimate Frisbee? Then come out and play a game or two of glow in the dark Ultimate Frisbee with Reformed University Fellowship.



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GLOBAL WELCOME BACK PARTY

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Marshall Student Center (MSC) MLK West (near Beef 'O' Brady's), 5:30-7:30PM

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Join Education Abroad & International Services as we welcome new international students to campus and study abroad students back to campus in style. This event is open to everyone, so come share your global experiences, meet the USF World community, enjoy food & games, and connect with USF staff.



TUESDAY, AUGUST 25

CAMPUS WELCOME STATIONS **F Y T I G**

3 locations: Business Administration (BSN), Cooper Hall (CPR), & Chemistry (CHE), 8AM-4PM

Need to be steered in the right direction? USF staff will be manning tents to provide directions to your classes and other useful information. Sponsored by USF administrative employees.

MATHEMATICS AND ECONOMICS: **F Y T G**

WELCOME BACK SWEET AND GREET

College of Arts & Sciences Multidisciplinary Complex (CMC) 2nd and 3rd Floor, 10AM-12PM

Join the Department of Mathematics and Economics for our Welcome Back event! Meet your faculty, advisor, and other students! We will have snacks and give-a-ways!

JUST WHAT THE DOCTOR ORDERED!

Social Sciences Building (SOC) 396, 11AM-1PM

Meet the Health Sciences administration team. Treat yourself to some pizza and join in on the group advising sessions every 30 minutes.

COOLIN' WITH LUL AND LTA

Marshall Student Center (MSC) MLK Plaza, 11AM-3PM

Enjoy popsicles and lemonade with Lambda Theta Alpha Latin Sorority, Inc. and Lambda Upsilon Lambda Fraternity, Inc!

CBCS PIZZA PARTY

Psychology & Communications Building (PCD) 3000 & College of Behavioral & Community Sciences (MHC) Atrium Lobby, 11:30AM-12:30PM

Meet other College of Behavioral & Community Sciences (CBCS) students and learn more about our student organizations and undergraduate research opportunities.

(DON'T) PASS ME THE HOOKAH

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 2709, 1-3PM

To Puff or Not To Puff? Let USF Area Health Education Center dispell the myths surrounding Hookah.

DESSERTS WITH THE DEAN **F Y T G I**

Interdisciplinary Science Building (ISA) Lobby, 2-3PM

Come into the air conditioning and meet the Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences while enjoying a treat on us!

WELCOME BUSINESS BULLS **F Y T G I**

Business Administration Building (BSN), 2:45-6:00PM

Enjoy food, mingle with your fellow students while a DJ plays music, and meet the Muma College of Business dean and department chairs. T-shirts will be available for declared business majors (while supplies last).

MEET N' GREET RELAY

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 3707, 4-7PM

Interested in meeting new people while becoming more involved with your community? Join American Red Cross Club at USF and HOSA: Future Health Professionals for our collaborative Meet n' Greet Relay!

READY, SET, PLAY!

Marshall Student Center (MSC) Crescent Hill, 5-7:30PM

The Asian Students in America invite you to discover outdoor games unique to Asian culture! Win or lose, food and a cultural experience is guaranteed!

STUDENT ALUMNI ASSOCIATION **F Y T** (SAA) PAR-TAY

USF Alumni Center (ALC) 100, 5:30-7pm

Please come out to the second annual Luau! There will be games, door prizes, food, and tons of BULL fun! Open to all students!

THE SOCIETY OF WOMEN ENGINEERS CARES YOU'RE HERE!

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 2709, 6-8PM

Society of Women Engineers invites you to create care packages and enjoy Chik-Fil-A while learning about SWE and our activities such as the Big & Little Program, volunteering, conference, and more!

INTERNSHIP & PART-TIME JOB FAIR

Marshall Student Center (MSC) Ballroom, 11AM-2PM

The Internship & Part-Time Job Fair, sponsored by USF Career Services, is a great opportunity to talk to employers looking for USF students for their open positions to earn some extra income!

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MEET & EAT! HISTORY, PRELAW, ANTHROPOLOGY, INTERNATIONAL STUDIES, & POLITICAL SCIENCE! *Social Science Building (SOC) Entryway, 6:30-7:45PM*

Get the inside scoop, gossip and debrief with people in your class/major. Enjoy pizza while chatting with new and continuing students and professors.

40 YEARS OF PRIDE ALLIANCE @ USF *Marshall Student Center (MSC) 2708, 7:30-9:30PM*

Look back at P.R.I.D.E. over the last 40 years and discover what an incredible history the P.R.I.D.E. Alliance organization has.



RECRUITMENT INFO NIGHT **FY T** *Juniper Poplar Hall (JPH) 1317, 8-10PM*

Join USF Panhellenic to see if Sorority Life is right for you. Representatives from each chapter and our Recruitment Counselors will be present to answer any questions.

LARGE GROUP WORSHIP *Marshall Student Center (MSC) 3705, 8-9PM*

Looking for a community of believers where you can make new friends and grow in your faith? Join the Reformed University Fellowship for worship and a relevant message from God's Word.

ICE CREAM WITH IFC *Marshall Student Center (MSC) 3709, 8-10PM*

Enjoy ice cream, meet new friends, and explore the opportunities that fraternity life has to offer. Sponsored by Interfraternity Council.

SALSA BHANGRA *Marshall Student Center (MSC) Ballroom, 8-11:30PM*

Join Latin and Indian organizations as we come together for a night of learning to dance Salsa and Bhangra!



SKATE JAM *United Skates of America (5121 N. Armenia Ave), 8:30PM-12AM*

Skate the night away with the lovely ladies of Lambda Theta Alpha Latin Sorority, Inc. and the men of Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. Transportation not provided.
Cost: \$7.

FRESHMAN CONNECTION BIBLE STUDY *Marshall Student Center (MSC) 3707, 9-10:15PM*

Join a freshman community seeking to build intentional relationships & grow in their faith. We will gather for Bible study, encouragement, and fun!

BLACK LIGHT DODGEBALL *USF Wesley Building (WFC - USF Sycamore Dr.), 9-11PM*

Join Wesley Foundation at USF for a night of black light dodgeball. Bring your favorite white or tie-dyed shirt and enter our 4-on-4 dodgeball tournament. Come with a team or build your team at Wesley.

FY T I REC THE NIGHT

Campus Recreation Center (REC), 8-11PM

Join Campus Recreation for one of the biggest events of the year with dodgeball, a cardio dance-a-thon, obstacle courses, Bike Safety presentations, and giveaways including t-shirts and more! Don't forget to bring your swim suit to play Battleship in canoes at our indoor pool!



WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26

WELCHEM BACK SMARTIES! **FY T G**

Chemistry Building (CHE) Breezeway, 10:30AM-12:30PM

Meet the Chemistry Advisors and get smart with a sweet treat! Learn about Chemistry Undergraduate Research (REU Program) and the majors offered in the Department of Chemistry.

WORDS OF WISDOM AND TRIVIA TREATS!

Students with Disabilities Services (SVC) Breezeway, 11AM-12PM

Join the Office of Students with Disabilities Services and explore a roadmap to success at USF!



OFFICE FOR UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH OPEN HOUSE **FY T I I**

USF Main Library (LIB) 210, 11AM-1PM

Stop by the Office for Undergraduate Research to learn more about our services and how you can get involved in research!

WELCOME TO HUMANITIES! **FY T**

Cooper Hall (CPR) Lobby, 11:30AM-1PM

Stop by and meet your School of Humanities Advisors! Find out more about all of our departments and learn about our interesting opportunities like tutoring, student clubs, and studying abroad.

GRADUATE STUDENT ICE CREAM SOCIAL **G**

John and Grace Allen Building (ALN) Graduate Student Lounge 209, 12-2PM

Stop by for a refreshing ice cream treat served by the Office of Graduate Studies staff and the Graduate & Professional Student Council (GPSC).

PRE-BUSINESS? CONSIDER THE **FY T** ACCOUNTANCY MAJOR!

Muma College of Business (BSN) 1204, 12:30-1:30PM

You think you know, but you have no idea! Come learn what accountants REALLY do. Meet our advisor and learn about opportunities in the major and the field. Sponsored by Lynn Pippenger School of Accountancy.

DESTINATION: CHOCOLATE

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 2709, 1-3PM

You are now boarding Chocolateer Airways. Join The Chocolateers as we embark on a journey around the world indulging in delicious treats. Let's soar into Destination Chocolate.



ART & ICE

Contemporary Art Museum (CAM), 3-5PM

Discover CAM's fall exhibition, *A Family Affair*, while taking part in a scavenger hunt. Win cool prizes and enjoy delicious icy treats from the Institute for Research in Art and the USF Honors College!

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BULLMARKET

Marshall Student Center (MSC) Plaza, 9AM-4PM

Join the Marshall Student Center for USF's tradition of student organizations, departments, and off-campus vendors showcasing what they have to offer at this year's first Bull Market!



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BLUE PARTY

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 2703, 4-5:30PM

Enjoy delicious food with Students with Diabetes. If you have diabetes, love someone with diabetes, or are just curious, come party with us!

NIGHT OF NETWORKING

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 3708, 4-7PM

USF Advertising Club invites you to connect with fellow students and learn from industry professionals. Enjoy complimentary LinkedIn headshots and light refreshments. Business casual attire recommended.

FASHION FURIOUS FEUD

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 2708, 5-6:45PM

The Fashion Executives at USF presents the first game night Fashion Furious Feud: one large trivia game with a combination of Jeopardy, Family Feud, and Survivor.

LATINO(A) FACES: WHO WE ARE FORUM

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 2707, 6-7:30PM

Join La Unidad Latina, Lambda Upsilon Lambda Fraternity, Inc. and the Latin American Student Association as we discuss the life and impact of Latinos in the U.S. and at USF!

WEDNESDAY NIGHT BBQ KICKOFF

USF Wesley Building (WFC - USF Sycamore Dr.), 6-8PM

Join the Wesley Foundation at USF for our Fall BBQ. We do BBQ right around here and would love to fill your stomach with a good home-cooked meal.

THIS IS YOUR BRAIN ON JEOPARDY

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 3705, 6-8PM

Come Out of the Dark and the Undergraduate Psychology Association have teamed up for an evening of Jeopardy! Meet groups dedicated to raising mental health awareness.

PRE-VET MEET, GREET, AND WIN A TREAT!

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 3709, 6:30-8:30PM

Join the USF Pre-Veterinary Society for a fun-filled night of raffles, a presentation on animal welfare, as well as animal-themed versions of Jeopardy and Charades!

THEATRE USF WELCOME PARTY

Theatre Center (TAR) 120, 7-8:30PM

Meet the students of Theatre USF! Enjoy food and participate in improv games while learning about the program, auditions, and shows in 2015-16!

BACK TO SCHOOL SOUTHERN BBQ

Baptist Student Center (BPT), 7-10pm

Be a kid with Baptist Collegiate Ministries! Play sports and board games, ride inflatables, make DIY dorm decorations, and win prizes! Did we mention BBQ?

INTRAMURAL OFFICIALS INTEREST MEETING

Campus Recreation Center (REC) 107, 8PM

Want a flexible, on campus job with paid training? Learn how to become an intramural official. For more info, call 813-974-4449.

SMOOTH YOUR WAY INTO HALL COUNCIL:



HOLLY APARTMENTS & MAPLE SUITES

Holly J (HAJ), 8-9PM

Housing & Residential Education invites you to learn how YOU can be an engaged advocate in your residence hall community.

NAV NIGHT WORSHIP

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 2708, 9-10:15PM

Looking for a place where you can find authentic friendships & grow in your faith? Join the Navigators Christian Ministry for worship, relevant Bible teaching, food, & fun.

FY MOVIES ON THE LAWN (MOTL):

AVENGERS: AGE OF ULTRON

**Marshall Student Center (MSC) Lawn
(Rain site: MSC Oval Theatre), 9-11:30PM**

Join the Campus Activities Board (CAB) for the first MOTL of the semester. Watch the movie on the big screen while enjoying popcorn and giveaways. Don't forget to bring a blanket!



THURSDAY, AUGUST 27



OUR SHIRT DAY

Wear your **OUR shirt** around campus and show your bull pride. Buy your shirt at the USF bookstore for \$5.

TRADITION!

ENGINEERING WELCOME BACK **FY T G I** STUDENT BLOCK PARTY

Engineering (ENB) Courtyard, 11AM-1PM

Calling engineering majors! Meet and join a student organization, pick up your “desk in a box” and enjoy Dippin’ Dots, the ice cream of the future compliments of Dean Bishop.

HOT DOG, YOU'RE BACK! **FY T G I**

Marshall Student Center (MSC) Amphitheater, 11AM-1PM

Enjoy a hot dog (while supplies last, vegan option available), chips, and a drink served by the MSC staff. Bring your new friends and like us on

[f](https://www.facebook.com/MarshallStudentCenter)/MarshallStudentCenter for a chance

to win prizes!

#WHOAREWE

Marshall Student Center (MSC) Atrium Table, 11AM-3PM

Meet the sisters of Lambda Theta Alpha Latin Sorority, Inc.! Grab a bag of popcorn and be a part of our Instagram contest to WIN a special prize!

SPORT CLUBS EAT N' GREET

Campus Recreation Center (REC) Lawn (Rain site: North Gym), 11:30AM-1:30PM

Meet the Sport Clubs Council (SCC) and the 40+ sport clubs they have to offer. Enjoy food, music, giveaways, and club demonstrations.

VEGAN SOCIAL

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 2709, 11:30AM-1:30PM

Join Students Protecting the Environment & Animals through Knowledge for great food and activities and connect with fellow Bulls, herbivores, & omnivores alike! Gluten-free also.

Department Event = Pink title

THE TREE AT USF CUBAN LUNCH

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 3711, 12:30-2PM

Join “The Tree at USF” for a great Cuban-themed lunch to find out more about our ministry, our events like our Whitewater Rafting Trip, and more!

OFFICE OF NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS **FY T** OPEN HOUSE

John and Grace Allen Building (ALN) 271, 1-3PM

Learn about the Office of National Scholarships and the national merit scholarship opportunities which fund study abroad, research, and internship experiences that help you achieve your future goals!

LGBT & ALLY ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Marshall Student Center (MSC) Ballroom, 1-3PM

Join the Office of Multicultural Affairs and connect to on and off campus LGBTQ+ and Ally resources while socializing and sharing ice cream with fellow students!

TASTE OF CAREER SERVICES! **FY T G I**

Student Services Building (SVC) 2088, 1-3:30PM

Chat with our Career Peers and learn about all of the career services available to you as a USF student!

WELCOME TO A PROMISING YEAR! **FY T G I**

WELCOME TO A PROMISING CAREER!

College of Education (EDU) TECO Room, 3:30-5PM

Connect with College of Education students, faculty, and advisors. All are welcome, even those unsure about their career goals. Join us for refreshments and fun activities!

Student Organization Event = Black title

FOOTLONGS WITH THE FRATERNITIES

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 2709, 3:30-5PM

Enjoy a foot-long sub while exploring what fraternity life is all about with the Interfraternity Council.

GPSC GRADUATE STUDENT MIXER **G**

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 2703, 4-6PM

Join members of the Graduate & Professional Student Council for an evening of networking and find out how you can become actively involved.



JAMROCK!

Marshall Student Center (MSC) Amphitheater, 5-8PM

Enjoy good music and bask in Jamaican culture with your fellow Bulls and the Jamaican Alliance Movement at USF.

NABA ICE CREAM SOCIAL/INFORMATIONAL

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 3709, 5:30-7PM

Learn about the USF chapter of the National Association of Black Accountants and enjoy ice cream with our officers and members! All business majors welcomed.

NEW STUDENT FLAG FOOTBALL **FYTI** CAPTAINS/FREE AGENTS MEETING

Campus Recreation Center (REC) 107, 6PM

This is MANDATORY for captains/team representatives or new students looking to join or form a team for the tournament taking place on Friday, Aug. 28 at Magnolia Fields.

THREAD LITERARY INQUIRY SOCIAL

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 3705, 6-6:45PM

Join Thread Literary Inquiry, USF's undergraduate lit. journal, for its 10th anniversary to learn how to get your writing published and pick up a free copy of Vol. 9!

CHI ALPHA PIZZA TASTE-OFF!!!

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 2708, 6-8PM

Sample pizzas from different local pizza shops and vote on your favorite! Stay for the games and prizes, and get to know what Chi Alpha is all about!

MEET AND GREET

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 3708, 6:30-8PM

Join Enactus at USF- a group of student entrepreneurs-for fun activities and learn how to innovate with us!

ABLAZING GRACE

Marshall Student Center (MSC) Crescent Hill, 7-9PM

It's an Ablazing Grace concert. Ignite your fire and join Warriors for Christ with song and fellowship and make new and lasting friendships at USF!

KICKIN' IT WITH THE KINGS

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 2709, 7-10PM

Join the Emerald Kings of Progressive Black Men for a fun night of games like spades, phase 10, Madden, or 2K as we welcome you to USF; just bring friends and an appetite!

FORMAL SORORITY RECRUITMENT **FYTI** ORIENTATION NIGHT

**Marshall Student Center (MSC), Oval Theatre
7-10:30PM**

Want to learn about or go through Formal Sorority Recruitment? Then make sure you attend Orientation. At this event, you will learn about the essentials of the Recruitment process, meet your Recruitment Counselors, and get all final questions answered. **Register at usf.mycampusdirector.com/register.**
Cost to register: \$77.



THURSDAY, AUGUST 27

JUST DANCE!

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 3707, 7:30-9PM

Join the USF Dance Department for a dance party and food—meet the dance majors and learn about dance events going on throughout 2015-16!

THE TIM BURTON ADVENTURE WITH TEAM BURTON

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 3711, 7:30-10PM

Join us for fun games, yummy food, and info on our upcoming events: for Tim Burton fans and novices alike!

LATE NIGHT WORSHIP

USF Wesley Building (WFC - USF Sycamore Dr.), 8-9:30PM

Join the Wesley Foundation as we gather to celebrate our hope, our faith, and the community that we have been blessed with.

DRAGON'S DUNGEON

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 3709, 8-11PM

Calling all bards, knights, and wizards – the Tabletop Role-Play Society would like to invite you for a round of root beer and board games at this tavern-themed event.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 28

NEW STUDENT FLAG FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT

Magnolia Fields (MFC), 12-6PM

New and returning students play together in men, women, & co-rec divisions to win intramural champions' shorts. Sign-up at usf.edu/campusrec by 4pm on 8/27 or call 813-974-4449. *Must pre-register between 8/24 @9am - 8/27 @4pm at usf.edu/campusrec.*



COMMUNITY SERVICE APO

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 3709, 1-4PM

Do you enjoy volunteering? Do you want to build your leadership skills? Help Alpha Phi Omega give back to our community with our volunteering event.

SIGMA NU'S WELCOME BACK POOL PARTY

Andros Pool (RAN), 1-5PM

Sigma Nu Fraternity invites ALL students to the pool for food, live music, and new friends. Come out, socialize, and meet new people!

UNDEBETABULL

Fowler Fields, 2-6PM

Come show off your skills in a series of mind games and an obstacle course for a chance to walk away with the grand prize hosted by Omega Phi Beta Sorority, Inc. and Sigma Lambda Beta International Fraternity, Inc.!

USF WOMEN'S SOCCER V. LONG ISLAND UNIVERSITY

Corbett Soccer Stadium (SPS), 5:30-7PM

Support USF Women's Soccer as they take on Long Island University (LIU) in their home opener!

MOONLIGHT CANOEING

USF Riverfront Park (6550 E. Fletcher Ave), 7-11PM

Explore the Hillsborough River at night. Bring your USF ID and Moonlight Canoeing ticket to the Boat House. Purchase your ticket (\$5) at usf.edu/campusrec.

SWING DANCE MIXER

Marshall Student Center (MSC) 3708, 7-11PM

Want to meet your fellow Bulls? Join your Swinging Bulls at our first dance of the year! Enjoy a fun dance lesson, great music, and make life-long friends!



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Student Organization Event = Black title



THE HUDDLE

Corbett Soccer Stadium (SPS), 7-8PM

Tailgate with Coach Taggart and the USF Football team while enjoying food as they kick off the season.

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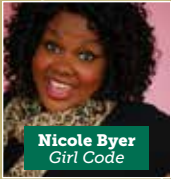
MEN'S SOCCER

VS. MISSOURI STATE

Corbett Soccer Stadium (SPS), 8-9:30PM

Come out to the USF Men's Soccer home opener against Missouri State.

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Nicole Byer
Girl Code



Jay Pharoah
Saturday Night Live

ROUND-UP

2015

USF Sun Dome (SUN), 9-11:30PM

Pack the Sun Dome for this annual comedy show hosted by the Center for Student Involvement. Featuring Nicole Byer from Girl Code and Jay Pharoah from Saturday Night Live. Find out about USF traditions and great ways to get involved on campus. Doors open at 9pm.

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BullSync is your way to connect to student organizations, community service partners, and to explore engagement at USF!

Where can I find BullSync? Visit usf.edu/bullsync

The Top 5 things to do in BullSync

1. Log in and explore
2. Map out valuable experiences to add to your Co-Curricular Transcript
3. Join a student organization of interest
4. Sign up for a community service project
5. Search for and RSVP for a campus event

Get connected now!



CONNECT TO USF!

After the Week of Welcome concludes you may be asking, "What's Next?" During the First Fifty Days, USF offers multiple programs and activities so you can continue to meet new people and find places to connect!

the network get plugged in!

COMMUNITY SERVICE NETWORK

Volunteer in the community with others that have a passion to serve

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Come together with other students to create artistic crafting projects

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Emerge in new cultures and learn about a global society

LEADERSHIP NETWORK

Learn about leadership opportunities at USF and enhance your leadership skills

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Attend movie showings and actually film a movie together

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Play video, computer, and board games together

WORKOUT & WELLNESS NETWORK

Focus on your health by getting active, staying fit, and learning strategies to stay well



Interested in joining The Network?

Stop by the NSC office (MSC 3200) or email LGress@usf.edu.



AUGUST 31 - SEPTEMBER 6

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| <p>8/29 Moonlight Canoeing
USF Riverfront Park (Fletcher Ave),
7-11PM. Purchase ticket (\$5) at
usf.edu/campusrec</p> <p>8/30 Women's Soccer vs Mississippi State
Corbett Stadium, 10:30AM</p> <p>8/30 Men's Soccer vs Georgetown
Corbett Stadium, 7PM</p> <p>8/31
-9/4 College Poster Sale
SVC Breezeway, 9AM-6PM</p> <p>8/31 Global Citizen Awards: Starting Your Adventure Workshop
MSC 1306 (inside CLCE), 2-3:30PM</p> <p>9/1 Bulls Walk & Bike Week Kickoff Celebration
MSC Amphitheater, 9:30AM</p> <p>9/1 Patio Tuesday
MLK Plaza, 11AM-1PM</p> <p>9/2 Bull Market
MSC Plaza, 9AM-4PM</p> <p>9/2 Explore the Learning Commons
LIB 1st & 2nd floors, 10AM-3PM</p> <p>9/2 Marshall Mayhem
MSC Amphitheater, 12PM</p> <p>9/2 CSI Committee Meeting
MSC 4200, 6:30-7:30PM</p> | <p>9/3 Certified Student Leader Orientation
MSC 1306, 11AM-12PM</p> <p>9/3 Bicycle Celebration
MSC North Side, 11:30AM</p> <p>9/3 Lunchtime Leadership Series
MSC 1306, 12:30-1:30PM</p> <p>9/3 Getting Started in Undergraduate Research Workshop
LIB 210, 4PM</p> <p>9/4 Centre Gallery Closing Reception: Held Together
MSC 2700, 7-9PM</p> <p>9/4 Bulls Nite Out: Nite @ Club Taurus
MSC Ballroom, 9PM-12AM</p> <p>9/4 Bulls for Kids Committee Application Deadline
11:59PM, visit usf.edu/dm to apply</p> <p>9/5 Bulls Blitz to Raymond James Stadium
MSC Bus Loop, 4PM.
Ride free to the game with a valid
USF ID & game ticket</p> <p>9/5 Volleyball vs Missouri
USF Corral, 7PM</p> <p>9/5 Football vs Florida A&M
Raymond James Stadium, 7PM</p> |
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Join Fraternity and Sorority Life and *Transform Yourself!*

Participate in Formal Recruitment with our Interfraternity Council (IFC) and Panhellenic Association (PAN) or attend Convocation with our Multicultural Greek Council (MGC) and the National Pan-Hellenic Council (NPHC). These opportunities will allow you to learn and experience what USF's 49 fraternities and sororities value and promote.

Learn more at usfgreeklife.com

- Panhellenic Sorority Recruitment - Spirit Day
August 29, 9am, MSC Atrium
- IFC Information Nights/Meet the Chapters
Sept 2 & 3, 8:30pm, MSC Oval Theatre
- MGC and NPHC Convocation - Sept 3, 8pm & 9pm,
MSC Ballroom (must attend to apply for membership)

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For more information on student organizations, visit BullSync – usf.edu/BullSync

SEPTEMBER 7 - 13

9/8 Centre Gallery DessART: Deep Space
MSC 2700, 12-1PM

9/9 Bull Market
MSC Plaza, 9AM-4PM

9/9 University Wide Committee Expo
MSC Amphitheater, 11AM-1:30PM

9/9 Movies on the Lawn:
Mad Max Fury Road
MSC Lawn, 9PM
(Rain Site: MSC Oval Theater)

9/10 Read to Lead Leadership Book Club
Registration Deadline
Book: Turn the Ship Around! To register,
email: jfitzgerald@usf.edu

9/10 Career Kickoff Cookout
MLK Plaza, 11AM-2PM

9/10 Lunchtime Leadership Series
MSC 1306, 12:30-1:30PM

9/10 Pastries with President Genshaft
MSC 4300, 1-2PM

9/11 Men's Soccer vs Georgia Southern
Corbett Stadium, 7PM

9/11 Bulls Nite Out: "Bull"izzard Beach
Pool Party
Andros Pool, 9PM-12AM

9/12 Getting Started in Undergraduate
Research Workshop
LIB 210, 3pm



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If you want to earn the best possible grades be sure to visit all of the great services on the 2nd floor of the Library Learning Commons where the Academic Success Center offers tutoring in many subjects, help with writing and strategies to improve your overall study skills! See it all on our website at usf.edu/tutoring or call us at 813-974-2713.



Still looking to **GET INVOLVED?**



Here are 3 tips!

1. Attend an event listed below and connect with a student leader*
2. Visit New Student Connections Office in MSC 3200 and speak with a student leader
3. Sign onto BullSync (usf.edu/BullSync) to explore student organizations

newstudent.usf.edu

SEPTEMBER 14 - 20

9/14 **Emerging Leaders Institute Applications Open, deadline 11/16**
To apply, visit usf.edu/BullSync

9/14 **Men's Soccer vs UNF**
Corbett Stadium, 7PM

9/15 **Leadership Buffet***
MSC Ballroom, 5:30-7PM
Learn how to become a New Student Connections student Leader, OTL/TM, RA, Green and Gold Guide (G3), USF Ambassador and/or SG representative.

9/16 **Rep Your Org Day**
Be on the lookout for student organization representatives across campus.

9/16 **Bull Market***
MSC Plaza, 9AM-4PM

9/16 **Certified Student Leader Career Workshop***
MSC 1306, 11AM-12PM

9/16 **SG Street Team Kickoff**
MSC 2708, 6-7:30PM

9/16 **CSI Committee Meeting***
MSC 2306, 6:30-7:30PM

9/16 **University Lecture Series Feature Speaker**
MSC Ballroom, 7:30PM
uls.usf.edu

9/17 **Persepolis for Historians**
SOC 255, 12:30PM
Experts discuss Satrapi's book. Bring your copy along!

9/17 **Lunchtime Leadership Series***
MSC 1306, 12:30-1:30PM

9/17 **Women's Soccer vs Georgia Southern**
Corbett Stadium, 7PM

9/18 **Centre Gallery Closing Reception: Deep Space**
MSC 2700, 7-9PM

9/18 **Bulls Nite Out: Comedy Show**
MSC Ballroom, 9PM

9/19 **Volleyball vs Penn State**
USF Corral, 7PM

9/19 **Men's Soccer vs FGCU**
Corbett Stadium, 7PM



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SEPTEMBER 21 - 26

- 9/21** Centre Gallery DessART: To See the Unseen
MSC 2700, 12-1PM
- 9/22** Career Fair Week: Health & Social Services Networking Fair
MSC Ballroom, 12-5PM
- 9/23** Bull Market
MSC Plaza, 9AM-4PM
- 9/23** Safe Zone Ally Training
MSC 3705, 10AM-1PM
Register at usf.edu/BullSync.
- 9/23** Career Fair Week: All Majors Fair
MSC Ballroom, 10AM-3PM
- 9/23** Movies on the Lawn: Jurassic World
MSC Lawn, 9PM
(Rain Site: MSC Oval Theater)
- 9/24** Career Fair Week: Science, Engineering, & Technology Fair
MSC Ballroom, 10am-3pm
- 9/24** Lunchtime Leadership Series
MSC 1306, 12:30-1:30PM
- 9/24** Women's Soccer vs UCONN
Corbett Stadium, 7PM
- 9/24-9/27** TheatreUSF presents U.S. Drag
TAR 120 (Theatre Center)
Sept 24-26@8PM
Sept 27@3PM
Students \$10, General Admission \$15
- 9/25** Career Fair Week: Accounting Fair
MSC Ballroom, 10AM-3PM
- 9/25 & 9/26** Moonlight Canoeing
USF Riverfront Park (Fletcher Ave), 7-11PM. Purchase ticket (\$5) at usf.edu/campusrec
- 9/25** Bulls Nite Out
MSC Ballroom, 9PM
- 9/26** Men's Soccer vs UCONN
Corbett Stadium, 7PM



One Book - Global Connections

JOIN THE DISCUSSION!

2015 Selection:
The Complete Persepolis by Marjan Satrapi

USF's Common Reading Experience is a great way for you to strike up those first conversations with other students, faculty, and staff. For a list of additional events and to learn more, visit lib.usf.edu/common-read. #USFCRE



FIRST FIFTY DAYS!



SEPTEMBER 27 - OCTOBER 4

9/29 **USF Hispanic Heritage Celebration**
MSC Ballroom, 12PM

9/30 **Bull Market**
MSC Plaza, 9AM-4PM

9/30 **Showcase of Service Volunteer Fair**
MSC Ballroom, 11AM-3PM

9/30 **Marshall Mayhem**
MSC Amphitheater, 12PM

9/30 **CSI Committee Meeting**
MSC 2306, 6:30-7:30PM

10/1 **I am an Ally**
MSC Atrium, 11AM

10/1 **Lunchtime Leadership Series**
MSC 1306, 12:30-1:30PM

10/1 **LBGTQ+ and Ally Mixer with
Counseling Center
and Victim Advocacy**
SVC 0067 & SVC 2124, 5-7PM

**10/1 -
10/11** **TheatreUSF presents Pantomime**
Theatre 2
Oct 1-3, 7-8 & 10 @ 8PM
Oct 4 & 11 @ 3 PM
Students \$10, General Admission \$15

10/1 **Bulls Nite Out: #ThrowbackThursday
Movie Night**
MSC Oval Theatre, 9PM

10/2 **Bulls Blitz to Raymond James Stadium**
MSC Bus Loop, 4PM.
Ride free to the game with a valid
USF ID & game ticket.

10/2 **Football vs Memphis**
Raymond James Stadium, 7PM

10/2 **Centre Gallery Closing Reception:
To See the Unseen**
MSC 2700, 7-9PM

**YOU
ARE
INVITED!**

**2015
Family &
Friends
Weekend**  *October
23-25*

You are invited to attend Family and Friends Weekend this fall! This campus tradition is a great opportunity for you to reconnect with your family. Family and Friends Weekend is open to all family members and friends of USF students. Visit usf.edu/student-affairs/parents for a full schedule of events and to register to attend!





CONNECT TO USF!

For more information on student organizations, visit BullSync – usf.edu/BullSync

OCTOBER 5-10

10/5 **Safe Zone Ally Training**
MSC 3705, 3-6PM, register at usf.edu/BullSync

10/5 **Certified Student Leader Orientation**
MSC 1306, 3:30-4:30PM

10/5 **Centre Gallery DessART: Untitled (abstraction)**
MSC 2700, 7-9PM

10/6 **Patio Tuesday**
MLK Plaza, 11AM-1PM

10/7 **Rep Your Org Day**
Be on the lookout for student organization representatives across campus.

10/7 **Bull Market**
MSC Plaza, 9AM-4PM

10/7 **Marshall Mayhem**
MSC Amphitheater, 12PM

10/8 **Lunchtime Leadership Series**
MSC 1306, 12:30-1:30PM

10/9 **Multicultural Affairs Homecoming Parade Watch Party**
SOC building along Maple Dr, 6PM

10/10 **Bulls Blitz to Raymond James Stadium**
MSC Bus Loop, 3 hrs before game time. Ride free to the game with a valid USF ID & game ticket

10/10 **Football vs Syracuse**
Raymond James Stadium, TBA



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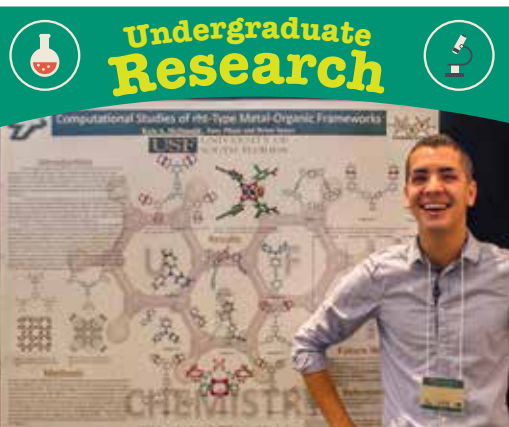
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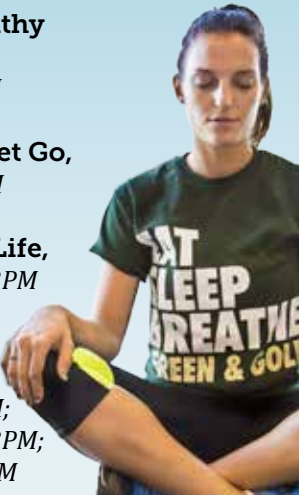
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Workshops are held in the Student Services Building (SVC), Room-2124.

- **Building Healthy Relationships**
Mondays, 2-3PM
- **Learning to Let Go,**
Tuesdays, 4-5PM
- **Coping with Life,**
Wednesdays, 1-2PM
- **Mindfulness Meditation,**
Tuesdays, 3-4PM;
Wednesdays, 2-3PM;
Thursdays, 1-2PM



Have a personal concern? We're here for you.
SVC 2124, 813-974-2831, usf.edu/counsel



SAVE THE DATE



OCTOBER 5TH - 10TH 2015

@USFHOMECOMING   

USF Homecoming is a week of events that celebrates school spirit and gets USF students, alumni, and community friends ready for the USF Homecoming football game. Show off your green and gold spirit by attending these traditional celebrations:

- Homecoming Kick-Off
- Team Competitions
- Stampede Comedy Show
- Homecoming Ball
- Carnival
- Running with the Bulls Night Parade
- Homecoming After Party Concert
- SuperBull Football Game

Check out homecoming.usf.edu for specific event details.



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Individualized coaching is available to students seeking support as they manage their transition into USF. Connect with us at MSC 3200, newstudent.usf.edu, or 813-974-2896.



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In order to build traditions for the present and for the future, we must look at the past and see all that USF has accomplished in its short but successful history.

- 1955:** June 18, the Florida Legislature passes House Bill 1007 to create a state university in Hillsborough County.
- 1956:** "A joyous day for everyone." Fowler Avenue property was approved as the site for USF on December 18.
- 1958:** Ground was broken for the new campus on September 5.
- 1959:** Biologist James Davis Ray Jr. is hired as the first instructor and, Barbara Campbell Johnson is accepted as "the first student as the first independent state university conceived, planned, and built in the 20th century." When it opened, USF had 1,997 students.
- 1961:** Ernest Boger is the first African-American student admitted to USF.
- 1981:** The USF basketball team wins the first-ever Florida 4 Tournament, and construction begins on the USF Sarasota/Manatee campus.
- 1989:** A USF diploma was awarded to Tracy Tyson, the 100,000th graduate, and USF Lakeland opens with 500 students.
- 1997:** The Bulls play their first football game against Kentucky Wesleyan before a crowd of 49,212.
- 1998:** USF establishes the Office of Undergraduate Research and is named a Research I University.
- 2006:** USF reports an annual economic impact of \$3.2 billion on the Tampa Bay region.
- 2008:** The new 232,000-square-foot Marshall Student Center opens.
- 2010:** USF researchers are early responders to the oil spill in the Gulf of Mexico, providing evidence of the scope of the environmental disaster to aid cleanup efforts. Also, USF celebrates its 50th year of students on the Tampa campus.

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IMPORTANT FALL 2015 DATES

AUGUST

- 21** Last day to drop/add fall classes without financial penalty
- 28** Fall drop/add week ends, fee liability/tuition payment deadline

SEPTEMBER

- 7** Holiday - Labor Day.
University closed. No classes.

OCTOBER

- 20** Midterm grades available
- 23-25** Family and Friends Weekend
- 31** Last day to drop with a "W"; no refund and no academic penalty for Fall 2015

NOVEMBER

- 11** Holiday - Veteran's Day.
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- 26-27** Holiday - Thanksgiving.
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- 4** Last day of Fall classes
- 5-11** Final Exams Week

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