

# ORIENTATION PART II & WELCOME WEEK 2017

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS



# WELCOME TO NEW PALTZ!

## THURSDAY, AUGUST 24

### 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. | Check-In

New students check-in at your residence hall.

### 11:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. | Taking Care of Business\*

Take care of your bill, buy your books, visit the Financial Aid office or other administrative offices if necessary.

\*Course materials and supplies can be purchased and picked up starting today in The Bookstore @ New Paltz in the Student Union Lower Level. If you placed an online order and selected ‘in-store pick up’, bring your student ID and web order number. Don’t forget to check out the New Paltz gear and all of the other great products they have available!

### Hasbrouck Dining Hall

First-year students can use their student ID card and guests can pay cash. This is a Carte Blanche, all-you-can-eat venue.

### 2:00 – 5:00 p.m. | Open Rec

Athletic & Wellness Center

Indoor track, cardio & weight curves will be open and equipment and bike rentals are available. Basketball & racquetball are in Elting Gym and pool hours will be posted.

### 2:30 – 5:00 p.m. | Off-Campus & Commuter Orientation

#### Check-In 2:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Student Union 2nd Floor Multi-Purpose Room (MPR)  
Important commuter student information and resources for new students living off-campus. Get your ticket to the Reunion Dinner and meet other off-campus and commuter

students. Park in the Route 32 Parking Lot (lot #28) and check-in on the second floor of the Student Union. **Everyone who attends will be entered into a raffle for great commuter-themed prizes!**

### Meet up with your OL & Reunion Dinner Look for your meeting time below

Catch up with your Orientation Leader and your Orientation Group. Meet other students who had your OL during the summer and go to dinner together.

First-year students meet your OL at the following locations and times (outside the buildings designated unless raining):

If you had one of these OL's meet them at **5:00 p.m.**

Kevin & Ashley ..... in front of Hasbrouck  
Xavian & Shannon ..... in front of Deyo Hall  
Caroline & Jeff ..... in front of LeFevre Hall

If you had one of these OL's meet them at **5:30 p.m.**

Brianna & Brooke..... in front of Bevier Hall  
Katie & James..... in front of Scudder Hall

If you had one of these OL's meet them at **6:00 p.m.**

Jessie & Elee..... in front of Gage Hall  
Jason & Gisell..... in front of Bliss Hall

### 7:30 p.m. | Orientation Part II Kick-Off! Featuring Dr. Michael Fowlin



Athletic & Wellness Center  
Dr. Michael Fowlin (aka Mykee) has a mission to create an atmosphere of worldwide inclusion towards all people in his “You Don’t Know Me Until You Know Me” show. **Get your free Class of 2021 New Paltz planner tonight!**

### 9:30 p.m. | Mandatory “First Night” Hall Meetings for New Students

In your residence hall.

## FRIDAY, AUGUST 25

### ORIENTATION PART II

*Remember to wear your gray t-shirt you received at Orientation!*

### 7:30 – 8:45 a.m. | Breakfast

Hasbrouck Dining Hall

### 8:00 – 8:45 a.m. | Breakfast for Commuter Students

Commuter Lounge, Student Union, Room 100 South

### 8:45 a.m. | Meet up with your OL

Meet in your designated location and head to the Athletic & Wellness Center.

### 9:00 – 10:15 a.m. | Jump Start Your First Semester

Athletic & Wellness Center

Learn about the Co-Curricular Transcript, voter registration, the Student Involvement Fair, Greek Life, campus sustainability, internships, volunteer opportunities, and the Enough is Enough initiative. Sponsored by the Office of Student Activities & Union Services, The Career Resource Center, the Office of Sustainability, and the Office of Compliance & Campus Climate.

### 10:30 a.m. | Meet the Faculty\*\*

Your OL will take you to the following appropriate location based on your major to have the opportunity to meet with the Deans of the schools you will be

studying in. OL's will then pick you up at 11:15 a.m. to take your class photo before Fall Convocation begins.

- **Undeclared Major** – Studley Theatre
- **Business** – van den Berg Hall 110
- **Science & Engineering** (*Bio, Chem, Comp Sci, Engineering, Geology, Math, Physics*) – Lecture Center (LC) 100
- **Education** (*all curricula*) – LC 102
- **Fine & Performing Arts** – McKenna Theatre
- **Liberal Arts & Sciences** (*Anthro, Comm Dis, Comm, Econ, English, Foreign Languages, Geography, Philosophy, Poli Sci, Psych, Soc, Women's, Gender & Sexuality Studies*) – Studley Theatre

### 11:15 a.m. | Epic Class Photo!

Your Orientation Leader will pick you up from your “Meet the Faculty” location and bring you to your epic class photo shoot!

### 12:00 p.m. | Fall Convocation\*\*

Athletic & Wellness Center

Congratulations! You are the fourth class to participate in our student focused, interactive Convocation experience. We look forward to celebrating your arrival (but can't disclose all the cool details). Your Orientation Leader will take you to the lineup area and all students must be seated for Convocation by 11:45 a.m. To show your New Paltz pride, please be sure to wear your gray New Paltz t-shirt you received at Orientation. **Meal tickets for the All Campus BBQ will only be distributed once you are seated inside the gym.** See you there!

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**\*\*Important Academic Session**

(Friday, August 25 continued)

**1:00 p.m. | All Campus Barbeque**

Athletic & Wellness Center South Lawn

Join faculty, staff, and other students for some lunch and music hits by DJ Claudio on the lawn. Please note that Hasbrouck will not be serving lunch and all new students must receive a ticket at Convocation in order to get into the barbeque.

**2:00–3:00 p.m. | Honors Program Welcome**

Honors Center, College Hall Room 111

This is an introduction to life as an Honors Student.

**2:00–5:00 p.m. | The Bookstore @ New Paltz**

Student Union, Lower Level

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**2:30–4:00 p.m. | New Paltz Fair**

Student Union Plaza, 1st Floor Outdoor Level

(Rain site—Student Union MPR)

See administrators serve up sno-cones and ice cream. Free raffle prize tickets, discount coupons, and food samples from local stores, restaurants, banks, and faith organizations. Also visit tables to learn about different campus programs.

**2:30 p.m. | Discover You. Discover the World. Go #NPabroad!**

Student Union 62/63

There is an array of international study abroad programs that you can choose from... and new programs are always emerging. We offer you the opportunity to discover a new place in the world during the fall and spring semesters, the academic year, and summer or winter intersessions.

[www.newpaltz.edu/studyabroad](http://www.newpaltz.edu/studyabroad)

**3:00 p.m. | EOP Peer Mentoring Assembly**

Lecture Center 102

EOP students meet their EOP Peer Mentors.

**3:00 p.m. | Navigating New Paltz**

Student Union 409

If you had a 504 plan or IEP then Navigating New Paltz is the place to be! Attend this workshop and learn about the programs and services available through the Disability Resource Center.

**3:15–3:45 p.m. | What’s Your Style?**

Student Union 208

A Meet & Greet with the Center for Student Success (CSS) staff. Stop by to take a quick quiz to discover your learning style and start the semester off strong!

**3:45 p.m. | Library Tour**

Sojourner Truth Library

Meet inside the STL’s front entrance and learn how to find your way around the Library!

**4:00 p.m. | Eating Healthy at Hasbrouck - Is there truth to the Freshman 15?**

Hasbrouck Dining Hall

Meet the CAS Nutritionist and learn how to get a jump start on a vibrant, energetic and joyful college experience.

Incorporating whole foods and nourishing lifestyle habits will support you in reaching your highest potential at New Paltz and beyond. Go on a tour of Hasbrouck Dining Hall and discuss practical ways to achieve a level of health beyond simply avoiding freshman weight gain.

**4:45–7:00 p.m. | Dinner**

Hasbrouck Dining Hall

**6:45 – 7:30 p.m. | RHSA’s Ice Cream Social**

Athletic & Wellness Center South Lawn

Join other first-year students for a delicious frozen treat before the Lip Sync Finals! Mix your favorite ice cream flavors with delectable toppings and you have the perfect recipe for a sweet time. Bring your free ticket given out at the Jump Start Your First Semester presentation. **Everyone attending will be given a special first-year gift!**

**7:30 p.m. | Seating Begins for the Lip Sync Finals**

Athletic & Wellness Center

Watch each winning group from the summer compete for cash prizes!

**Immediately Following Lip Sync Finals (approx. 8:30 p.m.) | Man Hunt with RHSA**

Parker Quad

Kick off your college career with a good old fashioned game of man hunt! Meet new people and the RHSA executive board while playing extreme hide and seek. Meet at Parker Quad after lip sync finals to play, and you could also win a FREE flashlight.

**SATURDAY, AUGUST 26**

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**10:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m. | The Bookstore @ New Paltz**

Student Union, Lower Level

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**11:00 a.m.–2:00 p.m. | Brunch**

Hasbrouck Dining Hall

**12:00 p.m. | Walking Tour of Classroom Locations and the Village with the OL’s**

Meet outside of Hasbrouck Dining Hall

Bring your class schedule to find out where your classes will be and continue on an adventure into the Village of New Paltz.

**1:00–4:00 p.m. | Psychic Readings**

Student Union, 2nd Floor

Free! Brief readings by professional psychics from The Awareness Shop to the first 150 students. Times are limited!

**1:00–7:00 p.m. | Open Rec**

Athletic & Wellness Center

Indoor track, cardio & weight curves will be open and equipment and bike rentals are available. Basketball & racquetball are in Elting Gym and pool hours will be posted.

**Sundown (approx. 8:00 p.m.) | Watch Transformers: The Last Knight Under the Stars**

Parker Quad

(Rain site—Student Union MPR)

Come out and relax on Parker Quad, a popular location for campus events. Join us for the free showing of the movie *Transformers: The Last Knight*. Bring your blankets and snacks! Some refreshments and snacks will be available for FREE! Hosted by the Union Programming Council.

(Sunday, August 27 continued)

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**12:30 p.m. | Shopping Trip to the Poughkeepsie Galleria**

Meet at the Bus Depot on Route 32 by 12:30 p.m.

Pick up some last minute items to furnish your room at our largest local area mall. **Seating is on a first-come, first-served basis.** Buses return to campus at 5:30 p.m..

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Parker Quad

Come check out goats, chickens, ducks and bunnies at this barn-yard animal petting zoo! Hosted by the Union Programming Council.

**3:00 p.m. | Humans vs. Zombies**

Parker Quad

Humans vs. Zombies (HvZ) is a moderated game of tag where humans use NERF blasters to defend themselves against zombies. HvZ hosts a week-long game once a semester where, for five days, players must navigate through campus while being chased by hordes of zombies!

**4:00 – 7:00 p.m. | RHSA BBQ**

Hasbrouck Quad

Hang out with your friends, or make new ones, at this exciting extravaganza! Food, music, free inflatables, and free fun!

**9:30 p.m. | Mandatory Hall Meetings for All Students**

In your residence hall.

**Questions about Welcome Week?**

Call The Center for Student Development at x3088  
[(845) 257-3088]

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# UPCOMING EVENTS

## WELCOME CLASS OF 2021!

▶ **Headphone Disco**

**Wednesday, August 30**

8:00–11:00 p.m.

Student Union 2nd Floor Concourse

Come join us for the biggest “silent party” of the year! This unique program features 2 battling DJs—you choose which DJ you hear on your headphones and rock out accordingly!

▶ **Commuter Social**

**Thursday, August 31**

1:00–3:00 p.m., Commuter Lounge (Student Union 100s)

Stop by for refreshments, to pick up resources, and see all that Commuter Lounge has to offer. Enter to win a free Commuter Locker for the semester!

▶ **Getting Involved 101**

**Thursday, August 31**

3:30 p.m., Student Union Rooms 62/63

Come to this program to get the scoop from Student Activities and Union Services about how to get involved on campus!

▶ **Wednesday Workshop Series—Local Volunteering**

**Wednesday, September 6**

12:30 p.m., location TBD

Erica Wagner will start off the semester-long Wednesday Workshop series with information about local volunteer opportunities (with transportation options!) and campus programs.

▶ **Student Club & Involvement Fair**

**Wednesday, September 6**

2:00–5:00 p.m. – Student Union, 2nd Floor Concourse  
Come interact, meet, and learn more from over 100 of our student clubs and organizations.

▶ **New to New Paltz Welcome Event**

**Thursday, September 7**

10:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m., Career Resource Center, HUM 105  
Stop by for snacks and to learn about CRC offerings including volunteer programs, the First-Year Internship Program, career planning resources, and more!

▶ **Emerging Leaders Information Sessions**

**Monday, September 11:** 3:30 p.m. | Student Union 62/63

**Tuesday, September 12:** 3:30 p.m. | Student Union 100N

**Wednesday, September 13:** 3:30 p.m. | Student Union 62/63

▶ **9th Annual Volunteer Fair**

**Wednesday, September 13**

1:00–4:00 p.m. | Student Union MPR, 2nd Floor  
Find volunteer opportunities with over 50 local, national & international volunteer organizations!

▶ **First-Year Fridays**

**September 8, September 15, September 22**

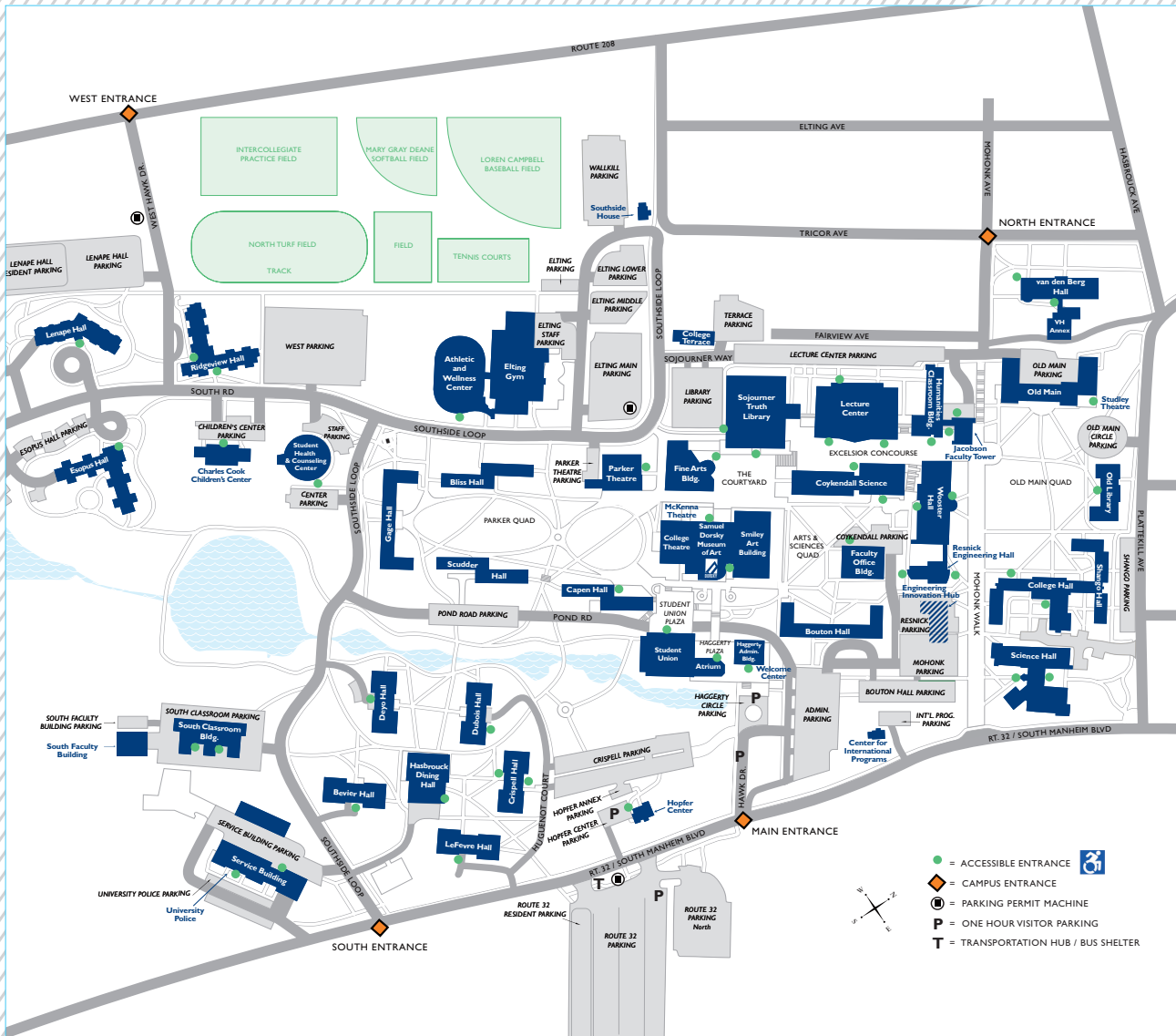
**September 29 — Look out for more dates!**

▶ **Saturday Night Movie Nights**

8 p.m. | Lecture Center 102

**September 9, October 14, November 11**

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**SPECIAL THANKS TO:**  
 The Orientation Leaders & Welcome Crew!