

# Parent & Family Weekend 2017 Schedule of Events

# THURSDAY, September 14, 2017

# Packet Pickup Party

4:00 pm - 7:00 pm, University Center Fountain View Room (350)

Check in at registration for your Parent & Family Weekend t-shirt, materials and more! Visit the Tiger Photo Booth too!

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# FRIDAY, September 15, 2017

#### Enjoy the Art Museum at The University of Memphis

9:00 am-5:00 pm, Art Museum at The University of Memphis

The Art Museum at the University of Memphis invites you to visit its new exhibit and all of its collections at your leisure. Self-guided tours are available. For more information, visit memphis.edu/amum.

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#### Heritage Room

10:00 am - 3:00 pm, J. W. Brister Hall

Visit the Heritage Room in Brister Hall (the original University library) for a look at the history of the University of Memphis.

#### Volleyball: Memphis vs. Louisiana-Monroe

10:00 am, Elma Roane Fieldhouse

Cheer on our Tigers as the Volleyball team takes on Louisiana-Monroe in the Memphis Invitational in the Elma Roane Fieldhouse. *Free Admission*.

#### Hungry Hungry Hippos sponsored by Campus Recreation & Intramural Services

11:00 am-1:00 pm, Alumni Mall

Join Campus Rec for a fun event where you can be a hungry hungry hippo! Sign up as a family to take on each other to see who can get the most marbles to win.

# 901Rocks: Community Service Project

12:00 pm- 3:30 pm, University Center Atrium (1st Floor)

Spread some love, happiness, and fun by painting and hiding a 901Rock! The goal of 901Rock is to encourage positivity in the 901 by bringing the community together through Art and Creativity. You might even find some rocks around campus!

# Complete to Compete Lunch sponsored by the Commencement Office

11:30 am-12:30 pm, University Center Memphis Room (340)

Join us for lunch with Deans and Administrators in the University Center and learn how you can help your student graduate in 4 years.

# Memphis Trivia and Bingo

12:30 pm-1:30 pm, University Center River Room (300)

Get your knowledge on with a fun active game of Bingo and Trivia. Participate as a family and see who knows more and even win a prize!

# Chat with the Dean of Students

1:00 pm-2:00 pm, 359 University Center

Have a chance to sit down and chat with Dr. Justin Lawhead, our Dean of Students and Associate Vice President for Student Affairs. This is a great opportunity to ask questions, meet staff members, and mingle with other parents and families.

#### Athletics Hall of Fame Open House

3:00 pm - 4:00 pm, UofM/Anfernee "Penny" Hardaway Hall of Fame building, 570 Normal Street Visit the Athletics Hall of Fame for a history of athletics at the University of Memphis. Visitors are invited to view memorabilia items, explore the databases and learn about the history of athletics. You never know who might stop by! Go Tigers Go!

#### Honors Hall Open House

4:00 pm-5:00 pm, Honors Hall

Parents and families of Honors students are invited to visit the Helen Hardin Honors College for an open house, to visit with staff and to view Honors Hall.

#### Volleyball: Memphis vs. Nicholls

5:00 pm, Elma Roane Fieldhouse

Cheer on our Tigers as the Volleyball team takes on Nicholls in the Memphis Invitational in the Elma Roane Fieldhouse. *Free Admission*.

#### President's Welcome Reception

5:30 pm- 7:00 pm (Comments at 6:00 pm), Administration Building Atrium (2nd Floor) Join us for a reception to welcome all our attendees with a chance to meet and talk with University administrators, including Dr. M. David Rudd, University President, his wife, Dr. Loretta Rudd, Associate Professor of Childhood Development, Dr. Karen Weddle-West, Provost, and Dr. Darrell Ray, Vice President for Student Affairs. Hors d' oevres will be served along with wine.

#### Movie with Mom and Dad presented by Student Activities Council

6:00 pm, University Center Theatre (145)

You and your student can check out a movie in the University Center Theatre!

# Blue Lantern Tour presented by the Alumni Association

7:00 pm-8:30 pm, Fountain Plaza

Take a memorable tour of campus guided by student guides with blue lanterns. You will be met by members of our rich university history and learn of many great traditions we hold. This is sure to be a unique and memorable experience that will provide you with in-depth knowledge about our traditions, while also highlighting the campus and its beautiful buildings.

# SATURDAY, September 16, 2017

# Shuttle to the Liberty Bowl

8:00 am-11:00 am, Central Parking Lot, West Side

The Football Shuttle will take Parent and Family Weekend participants to and from campus to the Liberty Bowl. The shuttle service will begin 3 hours before kickoff to the Liberty Bowl. It will pick up at halftime and begin again after the game with the last drop off concluding 1 hour after the completion of the game.

# Tiger Walk

8:30 am, Tiger Lane, Liberty Bowl

Help welcome the Tiger Football team and the Mighty Sound of the South Marching Band as they enter the Liberty Bowl.

#### Late Packet Pickup

9:00 am-10:30 am, Pipkin Building, Liberty Bowl

Check in at registration for your Parent & Family Weekend t-shirt, materials and more!

#### Tailgate Party

9:00 am-11:00 am, Pipkin Building, Liberty Bowl

Enjoy a family-oriented tailgate in the Pipkin Building located in front of the Liberty Bowl, off of Central Avenue. We will provide traditional tailgate food as well as alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages. This will be a great time to meet other families, parents, and students at the UofM and cheer on the Tigers before the big game! Those with the Go Blue Package will use their name badge to gain entrance. You do not have to attend the football game to attend the tailgate.

## Volleyball: Memphis vs. UT Martin

10:00 am, Elma Roane Fieldhouse

Cheer on our Tigers as the Volleyball team takes on UT Martin in the Memphis Invitational in the Elma Roane Fieldhouse. *Free Admission*.

#### Memphis Football vs. UCLA

11:00 am, Liberty Bowl

Cheer on the Tigers at the Liberty Bowl as they take on the UCLA Bruins! Football tickets will be provided as part of Go Blue Parent & Family Weekend package and will be in the registration materials.

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#### Opening Night at the Scheidt

7:30 pm, Harris Concert Hall

Admission is free but you must have a reservation. Reserve at memphis.edu/concerttix.

A preview of the Memphis concert season, performed by artists from the Rudi E. Scheidt School of Music, featuring works that will be performed by Opera Memphis, the Memphis Symphony Orchestra, IRIS Orchestra, Concerts International, and the Memphis Chamber Music Society.

#### SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 2017

# Brunch Like a Tiger sponsored by Pepsi

10:30 am-12:00 pm Tiger Den, Jones Hall

Meet your student and brunch like a Tiger in the Tiger Den! Pick from a variety of options in the All-You-Care-to-Eat dining location. Parent & Family Services staff will be on hand if you have any questions.

# Lambuth Campus Parent & Family Reception

1:00-3:00 pm, Quad, Lambuth Campus, Jackson, TN Come enjoy our beautiful Lambuth campus. Music and refreshments will be provided for UML students and their families.

# University of Memphis Night at the Levitt Shell presented by Student Activities Council

7:30 pm (Decks open at 6:30 pm), Levitt Shell, 1928 Poplar Ave, Memphis, TN 38104 Join us for a live concert at the historic Levitt Shell in Midtown Memphis. Hang out on the decks or bring a blanket or chairs and sit out on the lawn as you take in the sounds of folk rock duo Trout Fishing in America to help us kickoff Homecoming week. Food trucks will be at the venue to purchase food or bring your own. *Free Admission*