

# COLOR YOUR COURSE

ORIENTATION 2023



**Michigan  
Technological  
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# Student Services Hours

## Services at Check-In

**Friday, August 18, Noon-6 p.m.**

**Saturday, August 19, 9 a.m.-3 p.m.**

A host of student services will be present in the Van Pelt and Opie Library during New Student Check-In. Those include:

Financial Aid and Student Billing

Registrar's Office

IT User Services

Transportation Services

Wahtera Center for Student Success

## Bookstore Hours

**Memorial Union Building**

Friday, August 18, 8 a.m.-6 p.m.

Saturday, August 19, 10 a.m.-5 p.m.

Sunday, August 20, 10 a.m.-1 p.m.

August 21-25, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

August 26-27, Noon-4 p.m.

## Open Advising

Individual advising will be available throughout Orientation Week. You will receive more information specific to your major during the advising meeting on Monday, August 21.

## Dining Hall Hours

**Friday, August 18**

Wadsworth and McNair Halls

1-7:30 p.m.

Douglass Houghton Hall—Closed

*Free for all students and guests!*

**Saturday, August 19**

Wadsworth and McNair Halls

Continental Breakfast—9-10:30 a.m.

Lunch—10:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

Dinner—4-6:30 p.m.

Douglass Houghton Hall—Closed

**Sunday, August 20**

Wadsworth Hall

Breakfast—9-10:30 a.m.

Lunch—10:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

Dinner—4-7:30 p.m.

McNair Hall—Closed

Douglass Houghton Hall—Closed

**Monday-Friday, August 21-25**

Breakfast (All Dining Halls)—7-9 a.m.

Lunch (All Dining Halls)—11 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

Dinner (Wadsworth Hall)—5-7:30 p.m.

Dinner (McNair Hall)—5-7 p.m.

# Orientation Week Overview

<b>Friday, August 18</b>	<b>Noon-6 p.m.—Move-In</b>
<b>Saturday, August 19</b>	<b>9 a.m.-3 p.m.—Move-In</b> <b>6-7 p.m.—University Welcome</b> 9-10 p.m.—Comedian Jessi Campbell
<b>Sunday, August 20</b>	12:30-2:15 p.m.— <b>Team Meeting 1</b> 2:30-3:30 p.m.—Spatial Visualization Test 4-7 p.m.—Elective Events 8-10 p.m.— <b>Community Hangout</b>
<b>Monday, August 21</b>	8:30-11:30 a.m.—Academic Department and Advisor Meeting Noon-2:30 p.m.— <b>Panel for Free Speech</b> 2:30-3:30 p.m.—Exploring Majors 2:30-4:30 p.m.—Department Open Houses 5:30-7 p.m.— <b>Team Meeting 2</b> 7-9 p.m.— <b>Neighborhood Meeting/Commuter Meeting</b> 9-11 p.m.—Elective Events
<b>Tuesday, August 22</b>	10 a.m.-1:30 p.m.— <b>Be Well &amp; Be Safe</b> 2-6 p.m.—Elective Events 6:30-9 p.m.— <b>CommUNITY/ Team Meeting 3</b> 9-11 p.m.—Movie on Walker Lawn
<b>Wednesday, August 23</b>	10-11:50 a.m.— <b>Round Table</b> - A Murder Mystery Library Tour - Title IX - Campus Tour - Team Meeting 4 - What is a Learning Center - Studying in College 12:30-2 p.m.—Part of the Pack—CDI 1:30-5 p.m.—Elective Events 5:30-8:30 p.m.— <b>Computing &amp; The Law CL Lindsay</b>
<b>Thursday, August 24</b>	10-11:50 a.m.— <b>Round Table (see list above)</b> Noon-4 p.m.—Open Advising Hours 1-4 p.m.—Choose Your Course Events 5-9 p.m.—Elective Events 9-11 p.m.—McNair Fair
<b>Friday, August 25</b>	10-11:50 a.m.— <b>Round Table (see list above)</b> 12:30-3:30 p.m.—A Taste of Tech Traditions 12:30-3:30 p.m.—Be Seen, Heard, Valued, Loved 3:30-6:30 p.m.—Elective Events 7:30-9 p.m.— <b>Team Meeting 5</b> 9-11 p.m.—Vegas Night

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## Welcome Letter from OES!

### Welcome New Huskies!

As Orientation Executive Staff (OES), we have been working hard this summer to provide you with the opportunities, skills, and colors that you need to Color Your Course! We can't wait to see what colors you choose to make your MTU adventure unique and unforgettable. Being a Husky is an experience that you will never forget. From connecting with others to navigating challenging courses to exploring the great outdoors, we are excited to offer you the colors you need to Color Your Course!

Best Wishes on Your Husky Adventure!

Anna Kavanaugh, Austin McFarlane, Hollis Aitkens, Madeleine Kmiecik, and Skyler Spitzley

### Sticker Challenge

Throughout Orientation Week (O-Week), you will have the opportunity to collect stickers by attending highly recommended events. Each day will have a limited supply of its own colorable huskies, and if you collect all four huskies, howling, running, resting, and playing, you can also receive a bonus sticker that is exclusive to this year.

Stickers will also be handed out by a member of Orientation Staff during elective events. You can bring all four of your stickers to a table at Taste of Tech Traditions, where they will supply the additional bonus sticker.



## Key for Events

### Required Events

Events appearing in gold boxes are required. All first-year students are expected to attend.



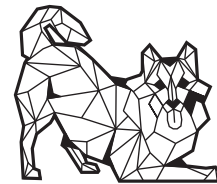
**Wednesday's Highly Recommended**  
Fun and/or beneficial events where students can also receive resting Husky stickers.



**Monday's Highly Recommended**  
Fun and/or beneficial events where students can also receive howling Husky stickers.



**Thursday's Highly Recommended**  
Fun and/or beneficial events where students can also receive playing Husky stickers.



**Tuesday's Highly Recommended**  
Fun and/or beneficial events where students can also receive running Husky stickers.



**Friday's Highly Recommended**  
Fun and/or beneficial events where students can also receive any of the Husky stickers they may have missed.



## Saturday, August 19

### University Welcome

6-7 p.m.

*Student Development Complex (SDC), John MacInnes Student Ice Arena*

Join your class and their Support Packs as you are welcomed to Michigan Tech by President Rick Koubek and Interim Dean of Students Laura Bulleit. Our OES members will introduce the Color Your Course 2023 Fall Orientation. The Huskies Pep Band will be on hand to teach you the fight song.



### Comedian Jessi Campbell

9:30-10:30 p.m.

*Rozsa Center for the Performing Arts*

# Sunday, August 20

## Meet Your Team

Noon-12:30 p.m.

*Walker Lawn*

Say your goodbyes for now and make way to Walker Lawn to meet your Orientation Team Leader.

## Team Meeting 1

12:30-2:15 p.m.



*Team Rooms*

Welcome to Orientation! **BRING YOUR LAPTOPS AND CELL PHONES.** This meeting serves as your introduction to Tech and Orientation.

## Spatial Visualization Test

2:45-3:45 p.m.

See page 16 for more information.

## Elective Events—4:30-7 p.m.

Elective events are programs offered by student organizations to show you what they have to offer, and for a chance to meet and greet them before K-Day. Attend as many as you'd like!

## Navigators Kickball

*The Navigators—Softball Fields*

Join the Navigators Christian ministry on Walker Lawn to play kickball and enjoy some lemonade.

## Introductions to Timbersports

*Forestry Club—Sherman Field*

Do you want to be a modern-day Paul Bunyan? Join the Forestry Club to see if you can saw, split, and throw wood as well as the lumberjacks and jills of old.

## Under the Lights

*Ultimate Frisbee—Softball Fields*

Join the Men's and Women's Ultimate Frisbee teams in a night of frisbee and fun on the turf!

## Welcome to the Shooting Range!

*Pistol Club—Student Development Complex (SDC)*

Get a tour of the shooting range at the SDC! Learn about safety procedures, learn about the club, and get information on joining!

## Trail Ride

*Cycling Club—Tech Trails*

Join the Cycling Club on the Tech Trails for some relaxing rides! Bikes not provided.

## Community Hangout

8-10 p.m.



*Your Residence Hall*

Get to know your roommate(s), Residence Assistant, and other residents in your first house event.

## Key for Groups

Wednesday-Friday from 10 a.m.-Noon, you will be in color groups for six rotational activities you will be attending, as well as a few events throughout the week! Refer to this for what group you belong to!



**Black (Camera)**

Teams 2, 5, 14, 20, 26, 30, 41, 47, 55, 62, 65



**Orange (Pen)**

Teams 3, 13, 16, 24, 29, 34, 40, 43, 50, 52, 57, 60



**Blue (Pencil)**

Teams 6, 7, 11, 18, 23, 25, 36, 38, 49, 53, 64



**Purple (Crayon)**

Teams 10, 17, 22, 28, 31, 39, 45, 48, 56, 61, 68



**Green (Drawing Tablet)**

Teams 1, 9, 15, 21, 27, 33, 37, 42, 54, 63, 66, 67



**Red (Paint Brush)**

Teams 4, 8, 12, 19, 32, 35, 44, 46, 51, 58, 59

# Monday, August 21

## Department and Advisor Meetings

8:30-11:30 a.m.

Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Meet your department chair, faculty, and academic advisor and learn important information about your major.



## Panel for Free Speech

Noon-1 p.m.—Blue, Green, Black

1:15-2:15 p.m.—Purple, Orange, Red

Rozsa Center for the Performing Arts

Spend some time with our panel of staff and students to gain a better understanding of the expectations of free speech, freedom of expression, and your rights and responsibilities on our campus. Learn how to best engage with others who share—or don't share—your views and perspectives.



## Exploring Majors

2:30-3:30 p.m.

Fisher Hall 135

Explore the majors at Michigan Tech and how to find which one is right for you.



## Department Open Houses

2:30-4 p.m.

The open house gives you the opportunity to meet your department's faculty and staff, and have a specialized tour of the department.



## Pavlis Honors College

Minerals and Materials Engineering Building (M&M) 722

Pavlis Honors College will be having a meet and greet with faculty and will be showcasing what the Honors College is at Michigan Tech. Unlike other honors colleges, there is no GPA requirement and it is open to all majors. See page 20 for more info.

## Forest Resources and Environmental Science

U. J. Noblet Forestry Building (Noblet) Lobby

The College of Forest Resources and Environmental Science (CFRES) will be hosting a department meet and greet in the Noblet Atrium and then heading to Tech Trails.

## Unit Operations Lab

Chemical Sciences and Engineering Building (Chem Sci)

The Department of Chemical Engineering will be hosting a scavenger hunt of the UO Lab.

## Modern Languages

Walker Arts and Humanities Center (Walker) 120A

Interested in French, German, or Spanish courses or minors? Meet our language faculty, learn about our programs and social events, and take the placement test if you haven't yet done so (students with AP or IB credit do not need to take the placement test).

## Biological Sciences

The Greenhouse

The Department of Biological Sciences is hosting a meet and greet with faculty and student orgs. There will also be tours of the greenhouse and plant giveaways. There will be something for all students in the biosciences!

## Kinesiology and Integrative Physiology

Student Development Complex (SDC) Hockey Suites

Join the KIP department for a fun and interactive activity and meet and greet with faculty. Open to all KIP majors and undecided pre-health students.

## Team Meeting 2 - Online Resources

5:30-7 p.m.

Team Rooms

An introduction to different types of resources that will be useful for your time at Tech.



## Commuter Meeting

7-8 p.m.

Memorial Union Building (MUB) Ballroom A

Living off campus in the fall semester? Meet other commuter students and learn about the rights, privileges, and responsibilities of being a Husky, as well as ways to connect to campus.





# Monday, August 21

## Neighborhood Meeting—Wadsworth

7-8 p.m.

*Rozsa Center for the Performing Arts*



Meet your neighborhood and learn about the Michigan Tech community.

## Neighborhood Meeting—McNair and Douglass Houghton Hall (DHH)

8:15-9:15 p.m.

*Rozsa Center for the Performing Arts*



Meet your neighborhood and learn about the Michigan Tech community.

## Elective Events—9-11 p.m.

### Aquanauts O-Week Bonfire

*Aquanauts Scuba Club—Prince's Point*

Join us for a bonfire as we showcase the club and the unique places you can dive in the Keweenaw. All are welcome regardless of dive certification status.

### Bonfire with Engineers Without Borders

*Engineers Without Borders—Prince's Point*

Come roast marshmallows and make s'mores with the MTU chapter! Meet our current members and learn about what we do.

### Bonfire Hangout

*MTU Concrete Canoe—Prince's Point*

Join Michigan Tech Concrete Canoe for a bonfire! Meet with current members and ask any questions you have about the club!

### Sustainability and S'mores

*Students for Sustainability—Prince's Point*

We're providing tasty s'mores and great conversation about how to get involved in sustainability at Michigan Tech!

# Tuesday, August 22

## Open Advisor Hours

8:30-10 a.m.

*Various Locations*



Meet with your advisor one-on-one to discuss your schedule or get answers to questions you have about your major.

## Be Well & Be Safe—Purple, Orange, Red

10-11:30 a.m.



Hear from Public Safety, Title IX, and the Center for Student Mental Health and Well-Being about the different resources they have to offer and how to stay safe on campus. Bring your cell phone.

## Be Well & Be Safe—Blue, Green, Black

Noon-1:30 p.m.



Hear from Public Safety, Title IX, and the Center for Student Mental Health and Well-being about the different resources they have to offer and how to stay safe on campus. Bring your cell phone.

## Open Advisor Hours

2-5 p.m.

*Various Locations*



Meet with your advisor one-on-one to discuss your schedule or get answers to questions you have about your major.

## Elective Events—2-6 p.m.

### Women's Rugby Table

*Women's Rugby—Walker Lawn*

Interested in rugby? Come talk with us for more information.

### Jam Session

*Mu Beta Psi—Walker Lawn*

Meet the members and make friends! Everyone is welcome to bring their own instruments, voices, or company.

# Tuesday, August 22

## Being Christian on Campus

*Several Christian Organizations—Walker Lawn*

Come meet the Christian organizations at MTU and learn about what they do.

## Liquid Nitrogen Ice Cream

*Mind Trekkers—Walker Lawn*

Join us for some liquid nitrogen ice cream, something we do on STEM roadshows! Learn about our outreach opportunities both locally and nationally.

## Welcome to Pre-Health!

*Pre-Health Association—Walker Lawn*

Join us for a meet and greet, iced coffee, frozen treats, and games, and learn all about pre-health at Tech!

## Intro to Swing Dancing

*Swing Club—Douglass Houghton Hall (DHH) Patio*

We will be teaching an hour-long beginner-friendly East Coast lesson! No partner/experience is necessary; please bring water.

## Trail Run with the KUMC

*Keweenaw Ultra Marathon Club—Tech Trails*

Join the KUMC for an easy-paced one-hour trail run. Get outside and enjoy the outdoors in the beautiful Keweenaw Peninsula.

## Sustainability Yoga

*Sustainability Demonstration House—21680 Woodland Rd, Houghton*

Join others for a relaxing outdoor yoga experience. Please bring your own yoga mat or towel. No experience is necessary. All are welcome!

## ROTC BBQ

*Army ROTC—ROTC Building Lawn*

Join Army ROTC cadets for their annual BBQ! There will be great food, lawn games, and more.

## Team Meeting 3—Purple, Orange, Red

6:30-7:30 p.m.

*Team Meeting Room*

Learn the steps to start forming healthy habits in your college career.



## CommUNITY—Blue, Green, Black

6:30-7:30 p.m.

*Rozsa Center for the Performing Arts*

Explore what it means to be a Husky through a conversation about diversity, inclusion, and a sense of belonging.



## Team Meeting 3—Blue, Green, Black

8-9 p.m.

*Team Meeting Room*

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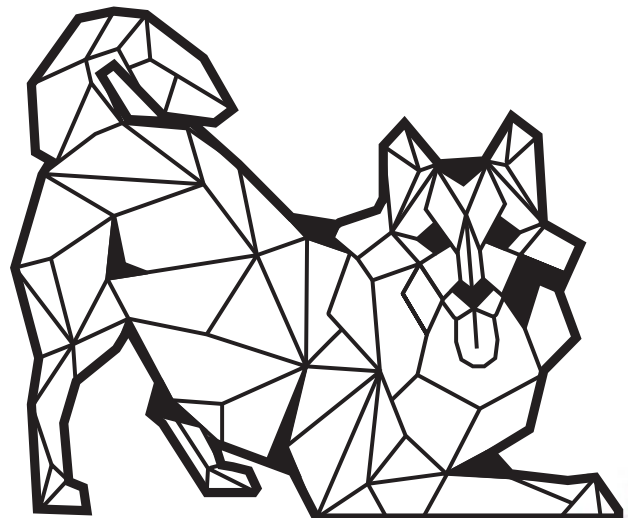


## Movie On the Lawn with Film Board

9-11 p.m.

*Walker Lawn*

Join Film Board in watching *Kung Fu Panda* on Walker Lawn!



# Wednesday, August 23

## Round Table

10-10:50 a.m.



These events are mandatory for all students and will be held in blocks, where each color group goes to one of the events each block!

### Title IX—MUB Ballroom

**Purple Teams**

Discuss the importance of your educational rights and the MTU Title IX department.

### How to Study in College—Fisher 135

**Blue Teams**

Learn strategies for studying, managing time, using resources, and being successful.

### Murder Mystery Library Tour— Van Pelt and Opie Library

**Red Teams**

Explore MTU's Library, learning where you can find valuable resources, while collecting clues!

### What is a Learning Center?—Rozsa Center for the Performing Arts

**Black Teams**

Discover one of Tech's most beneficial resources available to the entire student body.

### Campus Tour—Ask Your OTL

**Orange Teams**

Walk around campus before the semester begins.

### Team Meeting 4—Team Room

**Green Teams**

Get some general college life tips and tricks, and participate in some activities that promote team building and having fun with your group.

## Round Table

11-11:50 a.m.



Please refer to the left for event descriptions.

### Title IX—MUB Ballroom

**Red Teams**

### How to Study in College—Fisher 135

**Orange Teams**

### Murder Mystery Library Tour— Van Pelt and Opie Library

**Black Teams**

### What is a Learning Center?—Rozsa Center for the Performing Arts

**Green Teams**

### Campus Tour—Ask Your OTL

**Purple Teams**

### Team Meeting 4—Team Room

**Blue Teams**

### Spatial Visualization Makeup Test

Noon-1 p.m.

Fisher 135

If you haven't taken the Spat Viz test and would like to, here is your chance!

### Part of the Pack

12:30-2 p.m.

**Center for Diversity and Inclusion (CDI)—MUB Ballrooms A & B**

Learn about campus academic and support services at CDI's Part of the Pack event! Win an iPad! CDI supports all Huskies' graduation success, emphasizing historically underrepresented and underserved groups: Native American/Indigenous, Black/African American, Hispanic/Latino/a/e/x, Asian American and Pacific Islanders, LGBTQIA+, women, disabled, first-gen, low-income, and other inter- and multicultural identities.

# Wednesday, August 23

## Open Advisor Hours

2-5 p.m.

### Various Locations

Meet with your advisor one-on-one to discuss your schedule or get answers to questions you have about your major.



## Elective Events—1:30-5 p.m.

### His House Lawn Connect

#### *His House Christian Fellowship—Walker Lawn*

There will be lawn games and music, so come ready to have some fun and connect with other students!

### SWE Tie-Dye

#### *Society of Women Engineers—Walker Lawn*

Join your Michigan Tech SWE section in making tie-dye shirts and learn more about what we can offer!

### Dance Team Ice Cream Social

#### *Dance Team—Walker Lawn*

Meet us for ice cream and information about the MTU Dance Team!

### Pokémon League Rental Tournament

#### *MTU Pokémon League—Fisher 126*

We invite you to a Pokémon Scarlet and Violet singles rental tournament. Switches are not provided, rental codes will be provided as players arrive!

### O-Week Concert

#### *Memorial Union Board—Walker Lawn*

Join the MUB Board on Walker Lawn for a free concert to kick off the school year!

### TKE Welcome Fest

#### *Tau Kappa Epsilon—Walker Lawn*

Stop by and learn how we can help you enhance educational, interpersonal, community, and professional success!

## Meeting St. Al's

### *Catholic Ministries at St. Al's—Walker Lawn*

Gather with other students to meet brothers and sisters in Christ.

## Geode Smash

### *Geology Club—MTU Rock Garden*

As you color your course at MTU, stop by and visit the Geology Club to crack open a geode and see what they are all about.

## Computing & The Law— Purple, Orange, Red



5:30-6:45 p.m.

### *Rozsa Center for the Performing Arts*

Learn about your online rights and responsibilities through a hilarious and informative session by the one and only CL Lindsay and his colorful cast of action heroes. See page 21 for more info.

## Computing & The Law— Blue, Green, Black



7:15-8:30 p.m.

### *Rozsa Center for the Performing Arts*

Learn about your online rights and responsibilities through a hilarious and informative session by the one and only CL Lindsay and his colorful cast of action heroes. See page 21 for more info.

## Sunset Paddle on the Sturgeon Sloughs

8-10 p.m.

### *Sturgeon Sloughs in Chassell*

We will paddle the Sturgeon Sloughs in Chassell, easy flat water with lots of waterfowl and wildlife. All equipment is included and transportation is as well! No need to do it alone, come with us and learn a bit more about paddling! 20 people max, must register in advance!

## MUB Celebration Kickoff

9-11 p.m.

### *MUB Ballroom*

Join us in celebrating your arrival and the beginning of the 2023-24 school year!



# Thursday, August 24

## Round Table

10-10:50 a.m.

Please refer to Wednesday's programming for event descriptions.



### Title IX—MUB Ballroom

Blue Teams

### How to Study in College—Fisher 135

Purple Teams

### Murder Mystery Library Tour— Van Pelt and Opie Library

Green Teams

### What is a Learning Center?—Rozsa Center for the Performing Arts

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### Campus Tour—Ask Your OTL

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### Team Meeting 4—Team Room

Orange Teams



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## Choose Your Course—1-4 p.m.



### Scavenger Hunt—MTU Campus

Explore campus, following clues and riddles to discover some of MTU's student-picked gems! Meet at Walker Lawn.

### Community Service Outreach

Help out with picking up our Portage Canal beaches. Meet outside the Memorial Union Building (MUB).

### Hiking Trips—Exploring the Tech Trails

Enjoy the summer rays shining through the UP canopy at the Tech Trails. Meet by the SDC entrance to join a group!

# Thursday, August 24

## Open Advisor Hours

Noon-5 p.m.

### Various locations

Meet with your advisor one-on-one to discuss your schedule or get answers to questions you have about your major.



## Elective Events—5-9 p.m.

### KDP Hawaiian Slip-n-Slide

*Kappa Delta Psi—Walker Lawn*

Slide into the school year and join us for a slip-n-slide, squirt gun fight, beach music, and yard games on Walker Lawn.

### Ultimate Cantaloupe

*Intervarsity Christian Fellowship—Walker Lawn*

Join us in playing ultimate frisbee with a tasty twist! (Be prepared to get messy!)

### IT Oxygen Sticker Design Contest

*IT Oxygen—Walker Lawn*

Come meet fellow incoming students and learn about current IT Oxygen team members. We will be making sticker designs to represent the Enterprise team!

### Build a Server

*Networking and Computing Student Association—Walker Lawn*

Try your hand at assembling a server and learn about the resources available to students through our club.

### Bracelet Making with Panhellenic

*Panhellenic Council—Walker Lawn*

Come and meet our community to learn about fall sorority recruitment and enjoy time outside making friendship bracelets.

### Meet the Greeks

*Interfraternity Council—Walker Lawn*

Join Interfraternity Council (IFC) for a Meet the Greeks event. Learn more about Greek Life at Michigan Tech!

## Quiz Bowl Trivia

*Quiz Bowl—Walker Lawn*

Grab some friends and come test your knowledge with multiple rounds of trivia—all with different themes!

## SASE Movie Night

*Society of Asian Scientists and Engineers—Walker Lawn*

Watch a Studio Ghibli classic outside DHH. Bring snacks, blankets, and friends to watch this fun animated film.

## Ice Cream Social with the Sledheads

*Sledheads—Walker Lawn*

Join us for an ice cream social as we provide students with information about our club.

## Yard Games with Triangle Fraternity

*Triangle Fraternity—Walker Lawn*

Join us for fun and yard games! Play a round of cornhole, spike ball, or simply hang out with the brothers!

## SENSE Showcase

*SENSE Enterprise—Walker Lawn*

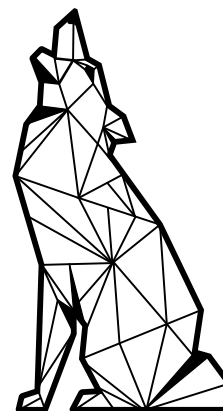
Meet the SENSE Enterprise team! You can check out showcased team projects and the Great Lakes Research Center's exciting equipment.

## The McNair Fair

9-11 p.m.

*Around McNair*

Join the McNair Hall and Hillside Place Associations in dancing, yard games, refreshments, and more to celebrate Orientation Week.



# Friday, August 25

## Round Table

10-10:50 a.m.

Please refer to Wednesday's programming for event descriptions.



## Title IX—MUB Ballroom

Orange Teams

## How to Study in College—Fisher 135

Red Teams

## Murder Mystery Library Tour— Van Pelt and Opie Library

Purple Teams

## What is a Learning Center?—Rozsa Center for the Performing Arts

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## Campus Tour—Ask Your OTL

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## Team Meeting 4—Team Room

Red Teams

## A Taste of Tech Traditions

12:30-3:30 p.m.

Walker Lawn

Explore the summer versions of MTU's beloved student and community traditions!



## Be Seen, Heard, Valued, and Loved Photoshoot

12:30-3:30 p.m.

Beautiful Strength Organization—Parking Lot 14

Take an empowering portrait where you tell your story to celebrate, heal, and connect. The Beautiful Strength Organization provides a safe space for you to express who you are without judgment. They encourage others to learn from each story. Promoting diversity, acceptance, and inclusion. See page 22 for more info.



## Paddle Demo

1-4 p.m.

Outdoor Adventure Program—Prince's Point

OAP will have kayaks and paddleboards at Prince's Point for students to try. Students can attend at no charge and may stay however long they wish. Kayaks, paddles, paddleboards, PFDs, and transportation will be provided.

## Elective Events—3:30-6:30 p.m.

## Worship Night

Intervarsity Christian Fellowship—Walker Lawn

Discover what it's like being a Christian at MTU with other believers! This will be a night full of fellowship and worship!

# Friday, August 25

## Pencil Pouch Decorating

*Inter-Residence Housing Committee—Walker Lawn*

Learn more about residence hall government and involvement while decorating your choice of pencil pouch or canvas bag. Materials will be available while supplies last.

## Four Wheeler Display

*Four Wheelers—Walker Lawn*

Vehicle display using RTI ramp with vehicles parked on and next to it.

## Learn to Play Rugby

*Men's Rugby—Walker Lawn*

Join our club and learn to play the great sport of rugby. We will go over game strategies and techniques and end with a non-contact game of rugby!

## Men's and Women's Lacrosse

*The Lacrosse Teams—Walker Lawn*

Join the lacrosse teams in passing and shooting on a lacrosse net! Meet the members of both teams and sign up for the season.

## Board Game Night

*Gamers Anonymous—Fisher 126*

Join us for an opportunity to explore new games with your friends and peers. Games will be supplied, but you are welcome to bring your own.

## KYCA Nature Walk

*Keweenaw Youth for Climate Action—Tech Trails*

Join fellow nature-loving friends as we explore the Tech Trails with thrilling facts about different in-season plants.

## Soccer with Sigma Rho

*Sigma Rho—Walker Lawn*

We invite you to take on the challenge against our talented brothers on the lawn.

## Sustainability Expo

*Tech Sustainability Community—Walker Lawn*

Come hang out and meet the Tech sustainability community for activities, music, plants, and fun!

## Houghton County Fair Shuttles

*Theme Park Engineering Group—Walker Lawn*

Join us at the Houghton County Fairgrounds for the 72nd Annual Houghton County Fair! We will be providing shuttles to the fair.

## A Mindfulness Walk with WBA

*Well-Being Advocates—Walker Lawn*

Explore our campus with a mindfulness scavenger walk based on different colors. Anyone who turns in a sheet will get a sticker.

## HPB Band Camp Day 1

*Huskies Pep Band—McArdle Theatre*

*5-7:30 p.m.*

Calling all musicians of all experience levels for our annual band camp! We're an ecstatic group of noise-makers bringing the spirit to many MTU events!

## Team Meeting 5

*7:30-9 p.m.*



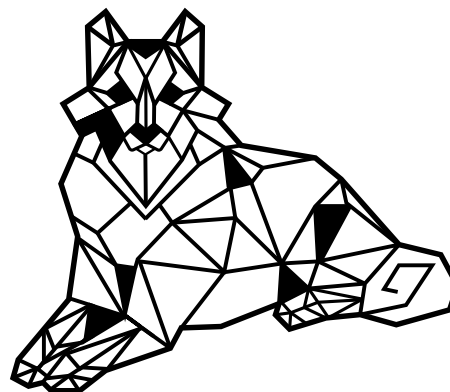
This meeting serves as a wrap-up for O-Week, and as an Ask Me Anything if there are any lingering questions.

## Vegas Night

*9 p.m.-Midnight*

*Wadsworth Dining Hall*

Wadsworth Hall Student Association (WWSA) hosts a casino-like game night with bingo, blackjack, roulette, and other games!





# Other Important Information

## Placement Tests

### Spatial Visualization

The spatial visualization placement test measures your ability to mentally visualize a 3D object from different perspectives. New first-year students will take this test during Orientation. These skills are important because engineers must often represent things in the physical world using diagrams and drawings when communicating information and ideas to others. Ask your OTL if your major needs to take the spatial visual test.

### Modern Language Placement Tests—French, German, and Spanish

If you have previous language experience and plan to continue your modern language studies at Michigan Tech, you must take the French, German, or Spanish placement test. Beginning students with no previous experience are welcome in our introductory classes. The Modern Language Placement Test is used as a guide to place you at the appropriate level of study. All students with more than one year of high school language study are required to take the Michigan Tech online placement exam (register at the URL below).

Exception: Students who scored a 3 or above on the AP exam are automatically given a waiver for third-year courses.

[mtu.edu/humanities/undergraduate/modern-languages/register/](https://mtu.edu/humanities/undergraduate/modern-languages/register/)

## Ensembles

### Superior Wind Symphony

The Superior Wind Symphony is accepting auditions for brass, woodwind, and percussion players for fall 2023. If you would like to audition for a spot in the band, please email Professor Joel Neves at [jbneves@mtu.edu](mailto:jbneves@mtu.edu)

### Keweenaw Symphony Orchestra

The Keweenaw Symphony Orchestra is accepting auditions for string, brass, woodwind, and percussion positions for Fall 2023. If you would like to audition for a spot in the orchestra, please email Professor Joel Neves at [jbneves@mtu.edu](mailto:jbneves@mtu.edu)

### Michigan Tech Choirs

(conScience: Michigan Tech Chamber Singers and Concert Choir)  
Auditions to sing in the choirs at Michigan Tech will occur on August 24, 25, and 28. You can sign up for an audition time by contacting Professor Jared Anderson at [jaredand@mtu.edu](mailto:jaredand@mtu.edu)

### MTU Jazz Bands and Combos

Auditions to play in the jazz bands will take place during Orientation Week. Interested students should email Assistant Professor Adam Meckler at [abmeckle@mtu.edu](mailto:abmeckle@mtu.edu) for audition materials and to sign up for an audition time.

### Huskies Pep Band

Attend the band camp on Friday, August 25. Questions about Pep Band can be addressed to Professor Joel Neves at [jbneves@mtu.edu](mailto:jbneves@mtu.edu)

# Welcome Aboard for Welcome Week 2023

University sponsored events are in bold below.  
All other events are hosted by registered student organizations:

## Saturday, August 26

### **An Afternoon on the Town**

11 a.m.-2 p.m., Downtown Houghton

Learn to Play Rugby with Men's Rugby Football Club

1 p.m., Walker Lawn

Hiking at Mt. Baldy with the Navigators

3 p.m., Mt. Baldy

Party on the Patio with Douglass Houghton

Hall Council

3 p.m., Douglass Houghton Hall Patio

Wiffle Ball with Baseball Club

4 p.m., Walker Lawn

SDC Broomball

6 p.m., MacInnes Ice Arena

### **A Night of Comedy**

10 p.m., Rozsa Center for the Performing Arts

## Sunday, August 27

Sand Volleyball Tournament with Men's

Volleyball Club

10 a.m., Sand Courts

### **Huskies' Walmart Takeover**

2-4 p.m., Walmart

Learn to Row with Rowing Club

3 p.m., SDC Rowing Studio

Ultimate Frisbee with Men's and Women's

Ultimate Teams

6 p.m., Soccer field

## Monday, August 28

### **First Day Photo Booth and Treats with Alumni Engagement**

9:30-11:30 a.m., Husky Statue

## Tuesday, August 29

### **On-Campus Job Expo with Career Services**

11 a.m.-2 p.m., MUB Alumni Lounge

### **Stay Afloat with the Center for Student Mental Health and Well-being**

1-3 p.m., Husky Statue

Messy Twister with Railroad Engineering and Activities Club

7 p.m., Walker Lawn

## Wednesday, August 30

Open Cheer Practice with Cheer Team

7 p.m., Walker Lawn

## Thursday, August 31

Lacrosse with Men's and Women's Club Teams

2 p.m., Walker Lawn

### **Volleyball vs Winona State**

6 p.m., SDC Varsity Gym

Off-Road Vehicle Display with Four Wheelers at Michigan Tech

6 p.m., Lot 14

### **Soccer vs St. Cloud State**

7 p.m., Kearly Stadium

## Friday, September 1

### **Sail in for a Slice at Sea(DI)**

1:30-3:30 p.m., Center for Diversity and Inclusion

Sun, Sand, and Sigma with Sigma Rho

2 p.m., Prince's Point

Rock Painting with Mu Beta Psi

5 p.m., Rock Garden

Wildlife Walk with Wildlife Society

5 p.m., MTU Trailhead/Nordic Wax Center

Board Game Night with Gamers Anonymous

6 p.m., Fisher 129/130

Glass Painting with Panhellenic Council

7 p.m., MUB Alumni Lounge

Pep Band Parade

7 p.m., Around the Residence Halls

## Saturday, September 2

Splatter Painting with MUB Board

Noon-4 p.m., Walker Lawn

### **Soccer vs Minnesota Duluth**

Noon, Kearly Stadium

Introduction to Timbersports with Forestry Club

1 p.m. Wood Cut Site

Bonfire with Triangle Fraternity

7 p.m., Prince's Point

BSA Blackout Dance

8:30 p.m., Walker Lawn

# Experience Tech Benefits

The Experience Tech fee complements the Student Activity Fee and provides students the opportunity to experience much more of Michigan Tech. Students have access to the regularly scheduled theatre; jazz, orchestra, wind symphony, pep band, and choir performances, as well as cross-country and downhill skiing, hockey games, art gallery showings, snowboarding, year-round tennis, golfing at Portage Lake Golf Course, and intramural sports.

Includes the following benefits!

- Access to Mont Ripley ski hill and one 50% discount on ski or snowboard daily rental package.
- Playing tennis or pickleball at Gates Tennis Center, including free racket, ball machine, and tennis/pickleball rental.
- The Portage Lake Golf Course, including \$5 club rentals.
- Access to a block of 750 free seats at all Huskies Hockey games in the John MacInnes Ice Arena or \$5 tickets after the 750 are filled.
- The ability to play intramural sports without any sort of entry fee.
- Free one-day snowshoe rental from the Outdoor Adventure Program.
- Admission to all Visual and Performing Arts performances.
- Access to the Rozsa Center for the Performing Arts Professional "Presenting Series" programming.
- Access to the expansive Michigan Tech Trails and recreational forest.
- The Wellness Program, offering resources to assist students with finding balance at Tech.

## Welcome Week 2023



# Career Services Sneak Peek

## September 2023

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
28	29 On-campus Jobs Expo	30 Prep for FESTA! workshop	31 Resume workshop	1 Networking workshop
4 Labor Day	5 Get ready for FESTA! workshop	6 CareerFESTA! <i>w/ Up companies</i>	7 CareerFESTA! <i>w/ WI companies</i>	8
11 Prep for Fair workshop	12 CareerFESTA!	13 CareerFESTA! <i>w/ Grand Haven</i>	14 Interview prep workshop	15 CareerFESTA! <i>w/ MTU partners</i>
18 Resume Printing	19 Career Fair	20 Interview Day	21	22
25	26	27	28	29

Interviews

NOTES	TO DO
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>On-campus Jobs Expo   Noon-3 p.m., Alumni Room, Memorial Union Building</li> <li>CareerFESTA!   11 a.m.-2 p.m., DHH Lawn               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Resume Review   3-5 p.m., Admin 220</li> </ul> </li> <li>Resume printing   10 a.m.-5 p.m., Library Exhibit space</li> <li>Career Fair   Noon-5 p.m., SDC</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Set up a Handshake account</li> <li>Attend a workshop at career services</li> <li>Download the Career Fair Plus app, set up a profile, and check out which companies will be recruiting on campus this fall</li> <li>See more at <a href="https://mtu.edu/career">mtu.edu/career</a></li> </ul>



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### As a new student to Michigan Tech, Career Services can assist you with:

- Developing your professional presence through resume development and networking opportunities
- Identifying employment opportunities through events and the Handshake platform
- Understanding how to plan to get the experiences you need from Michigan Tech to take the next step in your career after graduation

For more information about other Career Services events, visit [mtu.edu/career/events/career-fair/fair](https://mtu.edu/career/events/career-fair/fair)



# Additional Programming

## Learn more about the Pavlis Honors College

At Michigan Tech's Pavlis Honors College, an honors student is more than their GPA: they are motivated, unique, and dynamic individuals who want to get the most out of their undergraduate experience. Pavlis Honors College students strive to be the best version of themselves - they are leaders, innovators, champions, pioneers, entrepreneurs, and advocates. Could this be you?

## Stop by our Open House for coloring and conversation!

Monday, August 21 • 2:30 - 4:00 PM • M&M 722

For more information, contact us:

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**NETWORKING**



**SEXTING**

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RUTH, MARIAN UNIVERSITY

"I SAW MANY OF THE STUDENTS THAT WERE AT THE PROGRAM, AND THEY SAID THAT IT WAS ONE OF THE BEST LECTURES THEY HAVE SEEN SINCE COMING TO CAMPUS. GOOD LUCK TO YOU! HOPEFULLY WE WILL SEE YOU NEXT YEAR FOR ANOTHER LECTURE."  
JEANNETTE, JOHNSON & WALES UNIVERSITY

"WE WERE BLOWN AWAY BY MONDAY'S PROGRAM. THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR COMING AND FOR DOING WHAT YOU DO. WE HOPE YOU WILL RETURN!"  
RICK, INDIANA UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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