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ORIENTATION 2018

THAT INCLUDES YOU!
**ORIENTATION CHECKLIST**

- **Move In**
  There’s a 20-minute limit for unloading all your belongings into your residence hall in order to keep everything running smoothly. After unloading, please park student cars in Lot 21. Visitors and parents can park in Lot 10.

- **HuskyCard**
  Your HuskyCard is your official Michigan Tech photo ID. It grants access to all campus buildings, meals, and events, so make sure you keep it on you at all times.
  
  On Saturday, pick it up in the MUB (34), Ballroom between 9 AM and 6 PM. You’ll need a photo ID and your Michigan Tech M-Number, found on the cover of this booklet. If you didn’t submit a photo online, you can have it taken there. After Saturday, visit the IT Service Center in the Van Pelt and Opie Library (17).

- **Parking Decal**
  If you have a car on campus, bring a valid photo ID and your current vehicle registration to finalize your parking arrangements. On Saturday, visit the MUB (34) Ballroom between 9 AM and 6 PM. After Saturday, visit the Administration Building (1), Room 100.

- **Bike Registration**
  Register your bike online at: mtu.edu/publicsafety/crime/bicycle. This helps return lost or stolen bikes to their proper owners. A decal will be mailed to the address you provide, which you should affix to your bike frame.

- **Connect Your Computer**
  If you need assistance, visit the IT Service Center in the Van Pelt and Opie Library (17) or call 906-487-1111.

- **Get Your Textbooks**
  Books and supplies can be purchased at the Campus Bookstore located in the Memorial Union Building (34). Bring your HuskyCard to access your schedule and list of required textbooks. Hours are listed on page 4.

- **Make Introductions**
  Introduce yourself to your Resident Assistant (RA) and other new students.

- **Get Excited for Orientation!**
  Look for your team assignment on the front of this schedule book, and get ready to have an awesome time.
Welcome to Michigan Tech and Orientation 2018! You have an exciting week ahead of you! We can’t wait for you to experience all the great parts of Michigan Tech. This week you’ll experience firsthand the Michigan Tech values of community, scholarship, possibilities, accountability, and tenacity. You’ll meet the students, faculty, and staff that make up the Michigan Tech community, get to know your academic department, meet your academic advisor, and attend your Day Zero class sessions. You’ll experience campus traditions and explore all the possibilities for involvement on campus. You will learn about your rights and responsibilities as a student and identify strategies and resources to support your continued academic and personal success. You’ll do all this and more. Together you’ll experience how the parts that make Michigan Tech great are even better when you add them together and experience them with others. That’s the sum of all parts!

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You can also use our online Orientation Events Calendar this week at events.mtu.edu/orientation.
STUDENT SERVICE HOURS

SATURDAY AUGUST 25
9 AM-4 PM
In the Rozsa Center for Performing Arts (10) the following offices will have staff available to assist you:
- Financial Aid and Student Billing
- Registrar’s Office
- Student Health Services
- Wahtera Center for Student Success

9 AM-6 PM
In the Memorial Union Building (34), Ballroom the following offices will have staff available to assist you:
- Transportation Services
- IT User Services

SUNDAY AUGUST 26
9:30 AM-12:30 PM
If you need questions answered before Monday the following offices are open to assist you and your family:
- Financial Aid and Student Billing
  Student Financial Services Center
  Admin (1), Room 103
- Counseling Services
  Admin (1), Third Floor
- Registrar’s Office
  Admin (1), Room 130
- Student Disability Services
  Admin (1), Room 130
- Transportation Services
  Admin (1), Room 100
- IT User Services
  Van Pelt and Opie Library (17)

MONDAY AUGUST 27 - FRIDAY AUGUST 31
Campus Offices will be open regular business hours 8 AM-5 PM. The locations of offices can be found on mtu.edu.

BOOKSTORE HOURS
Saturday, August 25
9 AM-6 PM
Sunday, August 26
10 AM-5 PM
August 27 through August 31
8 AM-5 PM
September 1 through September 2
10 AM-5 PM

DINING HALL HOURS
Saturday, August 25
Wadsworth and McNair Hall
9-10:30 AM - Continental Breakfast
10:30 AM-1:30 PM - Brunch
4-6 PM - Dinner
Sunday, August 26
Wadsworth and McNair Hall
9-10:30 AM - Breakfast
10:30 AM-1:30 PM - Lunch
4-6 PM - Dinner
Monday, August 27 - Friday, August 31
All dining halls (DHH is not open for dinner)
7-9:30 AM - Breakfast
10:30 AM-1:30 PM - Lunch
4-6 PM - Dinner
Saturday, September 1 - Monday, September 3
Wadsworth Hall (Only)
9-10:30 AM - Breakfast
10:30 AM-1:30 PM - Lunch
4-6 PM - Dinner
**SATURDAY AUGUST 25**

**Army ROTC Hall Move-In**
8:30 AM-11 AM  
*Wadsworth Hall (37), Parking Lot 15W*
Current ROTC Cadre, staff, and cadets will help new Army ROTC students move into their residence hall.

**Check-In**
9 AM-6 PM  
*Rozsa Center (10), Lobby*
After checking in, you may move in.

**Shopping Trip**
11 AM-2 PM  
*MUB (34)*
Need a ride to shop for essentials? University vans will take students to Walmart and back to campus. Trips leave every 30 minutes from the bus stop in front of the MUB. There is no cost for transportation.

**Army ROTC Cadet and Parent Orientation: In-Processing and Commander Welcome Briefing**
1-4 PM  
*ROTC (4)*
This session is for students enrolled in Army ROTC and their parents. You will meet the ROTC Cadre, staff, and cadets, receive an overview of our program, and learn about enrollment requirements.

**Family Campus Tours**
4-5:30 PM  
*Walker (11), Lawn*
Come to Walker Lawn between 4 and 5 PM and Orientation Team Leaders (OTLs) will take you on a brief tour of Michigan Tech’s campus. Rain or shine!

**Comedian Pete Lee**
9-10:30 PM  
*Rozsa Center (10), Theatre*
Pete Lee was the first stand-up comedian to get a standing ovation on The Tonight Show Starring Jimmy Fallon. Pete’s joyful humor comes from his Midwestern roots. Raised in Janesville, WI by divorced parents and a 19-inch television, he was destined to pursue a career in entertainment.

**SUNDAY AUGUST 26**

**ALEKS Math Placement Assessment**
9-11 AM  
*Rehki (28), Room 215*
See description on page 20.

**Air Force ROTC Info Session**
9-11 AM  
*ROTC (4), Room 201*
For student interested in Air Force ROTC, stop by to learn more about program requirements and opportunities available through our department. Tour the facility and meet staff and current cadets in an informal setting.

**Local Health Services Open Houses**
Stop by local health services to meet their staff, explore services, set up appointments, and address healthcare questions or needs.

9:30-11:30 AM  
*SDC (24)*
- UP Health System - Portage and Apothecary
- Upper Great Lakes Family Health Center

11 AM-1 PM  
*1000 Cedar Street, Houghton, MI 49931*
- Aspirus Houghton Clinic
ExSEL Info Session
11-11:45 AM  
**Dow (8), Room 641**
An opportunity for new Excelling the Student Experience of Learning (ExSEL) students and parents to meet the ExSEL staff and ask questions. Please attend if you are enrolled in ExSEL or want to learn more about what the program offers. ExSEL is a great resource in helping you achieve your academic and personal goals. The program is aimed at increasing student success in the first year.

**Commuter Student Meeting**
11 AM-noon  
**Fisher (15), Room 139**  
Living off campus fall semester? Meet other commuter students and learn about the rights, privileges, and responsibilities of being a Husky and ways to be connected to campus.

University Welcome and Class Photo
1-2:30 PM  
**SDC (24), John MacInnes Student Ice Arena**
Join your first-year class and their families as you are welcomed to Michigan Tech by President Richard Koubek and introduced to the staff making your experience the sum of all the greatest parts of Michigan Tech. Afterward, make your way to Sherman Field for the class photo!

University Welcome Social
2-3:30 PM  
**SDC (24), Multipurpose Room**
Relax, enjoy some light refreshments, and talk to faculty and staff. Make sure to say goodbyes to your parents or family at this event as you’ll be busy with the week of Orientation activities.

Team Meeting #1 – Welcome to Orientation
3:30-6 PM  
**Walker (11), Lawn**
OTLs will line up along Walker Lawn holding a sign with your team number in numerical order. Your team number is on the front of this book. Your team meeting and dinner will follow.

First House Social Event
6:30-7:30 PM (Wadsworth)  
7:30-8:30 PM (McNair and DHH)  
**Residence Halls**
Get to know your roommate, RA, and other residents at your first house social event.

Neighborhood Meeting
6:30-7:30 PM (McNair and DHH)  
7:30-8:30 PM (Wadsworth)
**Rozsa Center (10), Theatre**
Meet your neighbors and learn about the rights, privileges, and responsibilities of being a Husky. This interactive presentation will have prizes and teach you all about living on campus.

**MONDAY AUGUST 27**

English as a Second Language/TOEFL Test
9 AM-1:30 PM  
**Fisher (15), Room 328**
See description on page 20.

Academic Department Introductions
9-10 AM  
**My Team’s Location: ________________________**
An introduction to your department from faculty and staff. Locations can be found on page 18 and 19.

Team Meeting #2 – Resource Tour
10 AM-12:30 PM Teams 1-38  
1-3:30 PM Teams 39-78  
**My Team’s Location: ________________________**
Learn more about the many resources and services on campus with an in-depth tour.

Advising Meetings
10 AM-noon Teams 39-78  
1:30-3:30 PM Teams 1-38  
**My Team’s Location: ________________________**
Meet your academic advisor and learn about courses required for your major. Get your questions answered and make sure you’re ready for classes to begin. Locations can be found on page 18 and 19.
Advising Open Hours
3:30-5 PM
Use this time to ask any questions about your schedule. You can find your advisor information on MyMichiganTech.

Spatial Visualization Test
3:30-4:30 PM
4:30-5:30 PM
My Time and Location: ______________________
See description on page 20.

School of Forest Resources and Environmental Science Field Orientation and Social
3:30-5 PM
Meet in Noblet (18), Atrium
We will discuss expectations for field-based classes including behavior, teamwork, and safety. Bring your own hard hat for this session.

Modern Language Placement Test
and Open House
3:30-5:30 PM
Walker (11), Room 120A
All students interested in Modern Languages are invited to meet our faculty and advisors. See description on page 20 for more information about the Modern Language Placement Tests that will be taking place at the same time.

Sand Volleyball Tournament Sign-Up
4-6 PM
Wadsworth (37) and McNair (38), Dining Halls
Sign up for the tournament on Sunday! All are welcome. Hosted by the Men’s Volleyball Club.

CommUNITY: Expression and Inclusion at Michigan Tech
Rozsa Center (10), Theatre
6:30-7:30 PM Teams 1-38
8-9 PM Teams 39-78
What are the expectations surrounding free speech and freedom of expression at Michigan Tech? How does that relate to inclusion? Learn more from a student and faculty panel.

Team Meeting #3 - Google Suite
6:30-7:30 PM Teams 39-78
8-9 PM Teams 1-38
Team Meeting Location
The Google Suite is the university’s official email and calendar service. Learn more about how it is used on campus.

Trivia Night with Quiz Bowl
9-11 PM
Fisher (15), Room 137
Come join the Michigan Tech Quiz Bowl Club for a night of trivia fun. All are welcome!

Agate Smash with the Geology Club
9-11 PM
Prince’s Point
Come join the Geology Club at Prince’s Point for a chance to break open an agate or a rock to see what minerals can be found inside. Stick around afterward for a cookout.

Watch Wolf Children with HARO
9-11 PM
Fisher (15), Room 135
Watch the critically acclaimed anime film Wolf Children with the Houghton Anime Review Organization (HARO). A lighthearted story about a mother raising her half-wolf, half-human children. Admission is free.

Ultimate Frisbee with DiscoTech
9 PM-midnight
SDC (24), Sherman Field
Come play ultimate with Michigan Tech’s club team under the lights!

TUESDAY AUGUST 28

Team Meeting #4 - Online Resources
9-10 AM Teams 1-38
1-2 PM Teams 39-78
My Team’s Location: ______________________
Familiarize yourself with some of Michigan Tech’s important online resources and technical tools.
Author Presentation - Jon Ronson
9-11 AM Teams 39-78
1-3 PM Teams 1-38
Rozsa Center (10), Theatre
Author Jon Ronson will be here to talk about his novel, So You’ve Been Publicly Shamed. There will be a book signing following each session.

Advising Open Hours
11 AM-1 PM
See description on page 7.

First Gen Student Information Student
11 AM-noon
Dow (8), 642
Are you the first person in your family to go to college? If so, that makes you a first-gen student. Sometimes navigating the procedures, systems, and expectations of college can be overwhelming. Join other first-gen students for a short presentation, meet other first-year students, learn about your dedicated staff person and hear some wisdom about being successful at Michigan Tech.

Pavlis Honors College Open Advising
11 AM-1 PM
M&M (12), Room 722
Stop by, learn more about the Pavlis Honors College, and get your questions answered.

First-Year Letter from
His House Christian Fellowship
12-1:30 PM
Rock Garden
Come stop by the rock garden to receive your handwritten letter. His House has written one for every incoming student.

Team Meeting #5 – Reading as Inquiry
3-4 PM
Team Meeting Location
Join a faculty/staff member along with an RA and your OTL to discuss So You’ve Been Publicly Shamed, including Jon Ronson’s presentation from earlier today.

Sand Volleyball Tournament Sign-Up
4-6 PM
Wadsworth (37) and McNair (38), Dining Halls
See description on page 7.

Fraternity and Sorority Life Information Session
4-5 PM
Fisher (15), Room 138
Are you interested in joining a values based organization with leadership opportunities and lifelong friendships? Join fraternity and sorority members to learn about how recruitment works, the benefits of joining, and what fraternities and sororities are all about.

Swing Dance Lesson and Social with Swing Dance Club
6-8 PM
DHH (31), Ballroom
Step back into the 1930’s and learn the basics of swing! Dance time will follow lessons to show off your new moves!

A Taste of Tech Traditions
6:30-8 PM
Walker (11), Lawn
Broomball, cardboard boats, and statues are just some of the traditions that make your husky experience the sum of all the greatest parts of Michigan Tech. Enjoy some treats and learn about the Husky Bucket List and all the experiences to check off before you graduate.

Engineering Society of Detroit
Informational Meeting
7-8:30 PM
Fisher (15), Room 129
The Engineering Society of Detroit (ESD) was established at Michigan Tech to provide students with valuable connections, information, and experiences to aid in the transition from the university to a career. ESD’s goal is to promote the growth of knowledge and professionalism in the state of Michigan. This is not an "engineers only" organization, anyone in a STEM major is encouraged to attend!
Film Board and WMTU present: *Deadpool 2*
8-10 PM
*Fisher (15), Room 135*
After the events of the first movie, wisecracking mercenary Deadpool joins forces with three mutants to protect a boy from the all-powerful Cable. Concessions are $1 each. Admission is free.

Being a Christian on Campus
Informational Session
8-10 PM
*DHH (31), Ballroom*
Come and meet students from different Christian organizations on campus. If you are looking to get plugged in to a Christian group and a local church, this is a great place to start!

Prince’s Point Bonfire with Women’s Leadership Council
8-11 PM
*Prince’s Point*
Come join the Women’s Leadership Council for a bonfire at Prince’s Point! Get to know your fellow classmates, enjoy a s’more and learn more about our club!

Night Hike and Night Prayer with St. Al’s
9-11 PM
*St. Al’s Basement*
Come join Catholic Campus Ministries at St. Al’s for a fun hike on the Tech Trails! Meet in the church basement by the fireplace before heading up to the trails together. We will stop for hot tea and apple cider and say Night Prayer in the woods before heading back to campus.

Vegas Night with Wadsworth Hall Student Association
10 PM-midnight
*Wadsworth Hall (37)*
Enjoy the glamour and glitz of Las Vegas, but right here in Houghton! Wadsworth Hall Student Association invites you to enjoy games, snacks, and refreshments.
Love, Simon Screening with oSTEM and Keweenaw Pride
3-5 PM
CDI (13), Basement
Attend an afternoon screening of Love, Simon in the CDI. Enjoy some snacks and learn about the opportunities for LGBTQIA+ students on campus.

Rugby Cook Out
5-7 PM
Prince’s Point
Come join the women’s and men’s Rugby Club Teams down at Prince’s Point for a hamburger and hotdog cookout as well as tossing a rugby ball around! No prior knowledge of the sport is required.

Tie Dye with Society of Women Engineers
6-9 PM
Walker (11), Lawn
Come tie dye with the members of SWE. T-shirts will be provided, so grab your friends and join us!

Sex Signals
My Team’s Time and Location: ______________
Sex Signals is a real life sort-of-improv show about dating, sex, and other stuff you need to know.

Worship Night with InterVarsity
Christian Fellowship
7-8:30 PM
Dow (8), Courtyard
Enjoy singing and fellowship with InterVarsity Christian Fellowship! Music will include a variety of contemporary and classic worship.

Just Dance and Ice Cream Social with the Dance Team
7-8 PM
DHH (31), Ballroom
Join the Dance Team at Michigan Tech and play Just Dance on the Wii. There will be ice cream and plenty of chances to play.

Throwback Time Machine with MUB Board
9:30-11:30 PM
Walker (11), Lawn
Join MUB Board for the best party ever! Head to Walker Lawn for our video dance party that will transport you back in time to the beginnings of pop music - every memorable song, every cheesy dance routine and every feel-good sing-along from the past 40 years will be played live by our resident DJ.

THURSDAY AUGUST 30

Day Zero
8:05 AM-3:55 PM
Attend your Day Zero Classes. Use the schedule you received from your OTL on Wednesday for times and locations. Have some breaks in your schedule? Fill in your schedule with the Information Sessions listed page 12.

Registration Help
9 AM-noon
Van Pelt and Opie Library (17), Room 242
Need registration help with scheduling General Education or Physical Education courses? Come get some assistance from advisors.

Meet the Mind Trekkers
10 AM-2 PM
Walker (11), Lawn
Try out demos like Oobleck, Musical Fruit, and more! If you’re interested in sharing your love of STEM with K-12 students around the country, come check us out!

Advising Open Hours
1-3 PM
See description on page 7.

Welcome Fest with Greek Life
2-4 PM
Walker (11), Lawn
Interested in joining Greek Life? Members of the Greek community will be gathered on Walker Lawn to hang out and have some fun. Stop by to play some games, eat some food, and learn about Greek Life!
Duct Tape Workshop at the Makerspace
2-4 PM
MUB (34), Alley Makerspace
Are you planning to tear up the dance floor at the McNair Hall Dance, but don't have anything to wear? The Makerspace can solve this problem with the best building material - duct tape. Attend this workshop to create something unique and fashionable from bow ties to flowers that will blow your new friends away.

School of Business and Economics New Student Welcome Kick Off
2:30-4 PM
Academic Office Building (5), First Floor
Meet faculty and staff from the School of Business and Economics.

Team Meeting #7 - College Life
4-5 PM Teams 1-38
5-6 PM Teams 39-78
Team Meeting Location
Learn about different ways to get involved, experience Michigan Tech, and navigate college life.

Get the Scoop on Sorority Recruitment
6-7 PM
Wads (37), Annex
Are you interested in joining a student organization that will promote your personal and professional growth? Come join the Panhellenic Council for banana splits and fun! Learn about sorority life and talk to sorority women in a comfortable, casual environment.

Robotics Demo with Copper Country Robotics
6-8 PM
Walker (11), Lawn
Meet the members of Copper Country Robotics and see local FIRST Robotics teams show off their robots!

Snowmobile Club Ice Cream Social
7-8 PM
Husky Statue
Enjoy some ice cream and chat with the Sledheads by the Husky Statue. You don’t need a sled to join the club or to come hangout, just a love for snowmobiles!

ALEKS Math Placement Assessment
7-9 PM
Rehki (28), Room 215
See description on page 20.

Cru Connect
7-9 PM
McNair (39), Lounge
Come join us for our first weekly meeting of the year. Cru is an interdenominational community that is passionate about connecting people to Christ. Our goal is to grow closer to God and each other through adventures, bible studies, retreats, and more!

“Let’s Rally” Open Hit with the Tennis Club
7-9 PM
Gates Tennis Center (50)
Want to learn more about the Tennis Club or just play some tennis? Come to the Gates Tennis Center to meet some club members and rally!

Ninja Tournament with Alpha Phi Omega
7-9 PM
Walker (11), Lawn
Join Alpha Phi Omega, a coeducational service fraternity, and show off your ninja skills for a chance to win a gift card of your choice! Prizes will be awarded for first, second, and third place.

Board Game Night with Concordia Student Ministries
8 PM-midnight
DHH (31), Ballroom
Come join us in a time of Christian fellowship and entertainment. Concordia Student Ministries is a LCMS group partnered with Saints Peter and Paul, a local church.

EWBonfire with Engineers Without Borders
8-11 PM
Prince’s Point
Head down to Prince’s Point and join Engineers Without Borders for a bonfire, s’mores, and stories about our international volunteering opportunities!
DAYZERO

Wonder how university courses will compare to high school? Attend Day Zero Classes! Use the schedule you received from your OTL on Wednesday for times and locations. Check out these other offerings between your classes.

THURSDAY AUGUST 30

Visual and Performing Arts on Campus
9:05-9:55 AM
10:05-10:55 AM
*Walker (11), McArdle Theatre*
Interested in becoming involved in art, music, sound, or theatre at Michigan Tech? Meet with faculty who will answer any questions about participation and expectations for ensembles, plays, musicals, studios, or performances. There are places for any student interested in participating, no matter what you are studying at Michigan Tech.

Career Services: More Than Just Resumes
9:05-9:55 AM
1:05-1:55 PM
*Dow (8), Room 641*
Career Services is so much more than resumes and interviews. Experience the stories of current Huskies and how they have used their time at Michigan Tech to prepare for life after college. Our career services staff will share what we offer specifically for first-year students and all the fun events we have planned for the fall semester.

I Wonder if I Chose the Right Major
9:05-9:55 AM
3:05-3:55 PM
*Fisher (15), Room 131*
Explore majors at Michigan Tech and how to apply your interests, strengths, goals, and values to find a major that’s right for you. Learn what you can do to find a major that’s best for you or confirm that your current choice is a good fit. Either way, you can stay on track for graduation.

Find Success at the Library
10:05-10:55 AM
2:05-2:55 PM
*Van Pelt and Opie Library (17), East Reading Room*
The Van Pelt and Opie Library is here to help you succeed! Find your favorite study room, try out a Go Pro, take a peek at the 3D printer, and learn where to get research help once the semester is in full swing. During this hands-on session, you’ll explore the services and tools available and plan how they’ll fit into your successful first year at Tech.

Intro to the Learning Centers
11:05-11:55 AM
12:05-12:55 PM
*Fisher (15), Room 138*
Michigan Tech Learning Centers will give you an edge in making the transition to college. The coaches working in the Learning Centers have taken or are familiar with your courses and can guide you in what’s expected. It’s been proven that students who use the learning centers get better grades.

FRIDAY AUGUST 31

The Pavlis Honors College
9:05-9:55 AM
11:05-11:55 AM
*Memorial Union Building (34), Alley Makerspace*
Join us in Michigan Tech’s Makerspace for an interactive overview of the Pavlis Honors College. In Pavlis, we provide all students on campus with opportunities to take their Michigan Tech education outside of the classroom, into the world, and across boundaries like majors, schools, and colleges. Come learn about our how you might take advantage of the Enterprise Program, Undergraduate Research Internships, the Innovation Center for Entrepreneurship, and our Honors Pathway Program to distinguish your college experience and define your roadmap to success.
Student Success and the MTMC
3:05-3:55 PM
**Fisher (15), Room 139**
No matter your skill level, the Multiliteracies Center can help you improve your class projects, papers, and presentations, as well as your career documents. The center strives to help writers and presenters communicate across a variety of cultures and modes, including written, digital, and verbal text forms. This presentation will explain how the Multiliteracies Center can help first-year students succeed in Michigan Tech classes and beyond.

Stress and Anxiety Management
11:05-11:55 AM
3:05-3:55 PM
**Fisher (15), Room 129**
To do well at Michigan Tech, you need to learn how to operate smoothly in a high-stress environment. Attend this session to begin building the skills you need to remain calm and focused while taking important exams or giving class presentations.

I Never Really Had to Study Before: Now What?
1:05-1:55 PM
2:05-2:55 PM
**Dow (8), Room 642**
Never spent much time studying? Not sure what you need to do to be successful at Michigan Tech? Learn strategies from the staff of the WainoWahtera Center for Student Success on how to study, manage your time, use resources, and be successful at Michigan Tech.

Watch *Ghost in the Shell* with HARO
8 PM-midnight
**Fisher (15), Room 135**
Watch *Ghost in the Shell* with the Houghton Anime Review Club. This is the first movie of the now widely-known series about the interplay of advanced technology and human identity. Showings will start at 8 PM and 10 PM. Admission is free.

McNair Hall Dance
10 PM-midnight
**McNair (39), Courtyard**
Join the McNair Hall Association in the middle of West McNair for an evening of music and dancing. Bring a friend!

**FRIDAY AUGUST 31**

Day Zero
8:05 AM-3:55 PM
See description on page 10.

Learn About Bike Safety with the Campus Bike Initiative
11 AM-2 PM
**Walker (11), Lawn**
Stop by our table to learn about bike routes around campus and Houghton, register your bike, learn some bike safety tips, and get a bike light installed (while supplies last).

Kick Around with Women’s Soccer Club
12-2:30 PM
**Walker (11), Lawn**
Come hang out with members of the Women’s Club soccer team and get some touches on the ball! Join us for some short-sided games.

Ice Cream Social Justice with the Canterbury House
1:30-4 PM
**Between Rehki Hall (28) and Van Pelt and Opie Library (17)**
Promote inclusion for all Michigan Tech students and inform them about opportunities for involvement with Canterbury House. Ice cream with be served and stickers will be offered with social justice slogans.
Husky Connect with the Center for Diversity and Inclusion
2-4 PM
*Hamar House (13)*
Get connected with new and returning Black and African American students at 2 p.m., Hispanic/Latino students at 2:30 p.m., Native students at 3 p.m., and members of the LGBTQIA+ community at 3:30 p.m.

**Team Meeting #8 - Academic Success**
4-5 PM
**Team Meeting Locations**
Meet with your team to discuss how to succeed here at Tech and set some important first semester goals.

**IRHC Slip & Slide Dodgeball**
5-7:30 PM
*Walker (11), Lawn*
Come join the Inter-Residence Hall Council (IRHC) for a fun game of dodgeball, with a twist! Join up in teams or get assigned a team when you show up, and play some dodgeball. Have fun and make some new friends!

**Pep Band Camp: Part 1**
5-10 PM
*Walker (11), McArdle Theatre*
Want to join the Pride of Pastyland, the Huskies Pep Band? Join us for band camp! Music will be provided, and some instruments are available for check out. Dinner will be provided by Mu Beta Psi, National Honorary Musical Fraternity.

**SEND IT with the Four Wheelers of Michigan Tech**
5-9 PM
*Lot 14*
Stop by the Four Wheelers of Michigan Tech’s display to check out some awesome trucks, meet new friends, talk cars, and learn new things about off-roading.

**Mountain Bike Ride at the Tech Trails**
6-8 PM
*Nordic Ski Waxing Center (46)*
Join us for a fun no-drop ride on Michigan Tech’s amazing mountain bike trail system located on campus! Meet us at the nordic wax building trailhead atop Sharon Avenue just past the Sherman Field for an evening of fun!

**Bonfire with the Fishing Club**
7-10 PM
*Prince’s Point*
Come join as an experienced angler or as a beginner for a fun evening at Prince’s Point! Learn more about the Fishing Club and meet some of our active members as we share stories around the bonfire. All are welcome!

**Soul Train with the Black Student Association**
8-11 PM
*DHH (31), Ballroom*
Come enjoy a night of great music, fun, and excitement as we throw it back to the 70s, 80s, and 90s. Come dressed in your best throwback outfits (prizes for best dressed). There will be a costume competition, food, and great music.

**Craig Karges Illusionist**
8-9:30 PM
*Rozsa Center (10), Theatre*
Be amazed by illusionist Craig Karges and the audience participation he uses to create extraordinary phenomena! Karges has been featured on *The Tonight Show, Larry King Live,* and more!

**Movie on the Lawn - *The Goonies***
10 PM-midnight
*Walker (11), Lawn*
Join Film Board to watch the classic adventure movie, *The Goonies* under the stars. From the imagination of Steven Spielberg, the film plunges a band of small heroes into a surprise-around-every corner quest beyond their wildest dreams!
**SATURDAY SEPTMBER 1**

**Pep Band Camp: Part 2**
5:30-7:30 PM  
*SDC (24), Sherman Field*
Join us for Band Camp: Part 2! Here we will show you the ropes of playing at a game.

**Habitat for Humanity Local Build Project**
10 AM-1 PM  
*Meet at MUB (34), Circle*
Volunteer to help at a Habitat for Humanity build site by taking part in the construction of a new home for a local family in need. Tasks may include installing flooring, putting up walls, and painting. All tasks will be explained at the site, no previous construction experience is needed.

**Afternoon on the Town**
11 AM-3 PM  
*Downtown Houghton*
On-campus residents, meet your RA at a predetermined location and commuter students, meet an Orientation Team Leader at the MUB (34), Circle to walk downtown along College Avenue. Businesses from around the city and in the area will be offering specials for Michigan Tech students. Visit participating businesses to be entered in a prize drawing!

**Ultimate Frisbee with DiscoTech**
Noon-3 PM  
*SDC (24), Upper Soccer Fields*
Join DiscoTech for an Ultimate Frisbee Tournament!

**Open Play with Michigan Tech Volleyball Club**
3-6 PM  
*Michigan Tech Sand Volleyball Courts*
Come join the Michigan Tech Club Volleyball Team for some open games of sand volleyball! Courts located by the softball field.

**Ultimate Cantaloupe**
4-6 PM  
*Meet at Nordic Ski Waxing Center (46)*
Come join InterVarsity Christian Fellowship for a game of Ultimate Cantaloupe! A messy game of ultimate frisbee but instead of a frisbee we use a cantaloupe!

**Concrete Canoe Tournament and Cookout**
6-9 PM  
*Prince’s Point*
Sign up with some friends to race canoes, tournament style! Meet the Concrete Canoe team, hear about what we do, and see some concrete canoes in action. Throughout the races, there will be a cookout happening on shore, so even if you don’t want to race, come hang out!

**The Starter Cup!**
6-10 PM  
*Walker (11), 109*
Join the Michigan Tech Pokemon League for the Starter Cup tournament! We’ll give you a team and let you do the battling.

**Pizza with Ducks Unlimited**
7-9 PM  
*Husky Statue*
Are you interested in wildlife conservation or an avid outdoor enthusiast? Come hang out with the Ducks Unlimited Chapter at Michigan Tech, learn about what we do, and eat some pizza!

**Comedian Sammy Obeid**
10 PM-midnight  
*Rozsa Center (10), Theatre*
Lebanese-Palestinian-Syrian-Italian American (try saying it really fast) Sammy knows a lot about mixin’ it up. After double majoring in Business and Math at UC Berkeley, Obeid blends his education with his love for being the life of the party, breaking down hip, trending topics until you laugh your abs into a six pack.

**SUNDAY SEPTMBER 2**

**Sand Volleyball Tournament**
9 AM-5:30 PM  
*Michigan Tech Sand Volleyball Courts*
Join the Men’s Club Volleyball team as they host their annual sand volleyball tournament. Find some friends, form a 6 person team, and be sure to sign up on Monday or Tuesday to participate (see page 7). Do you have it takes to bring home the hardware?
WELCOME WEEK EVENTS

Saturday, September 1
An Afternoon on the Town
11 AM-3 PM | Admin (1)
See description on page 15.

Women’s Soccer vs. St. Cloud State
1 PM | SDC (24), Sherman Field

Comedian Sammy Obeid
10 PM | Rozsa Center (10)
See description on page 15.

Sunday, September 2
Volleyball Tournament with Men’s Club Volleyball
9 AM-5 PM | Sand Volleyball Courts

Ultimate Frisbee with Disco Tech
Noon-3 PM | SDC (24), Upper Soccer Field

Monday, September 3
Labor Day Cook Out with the Fraternities
1-4 PM | Kestner Waterfront Park
(Chutes and Ladders)

Tuesday, September 4
Back to School Binders
11 AM | MUB (34), Circle

Ice Cream Social with MUB Board
1 PM | Husky Statue

Crafts and Candy with the Sororities
7 PM | Wads (37), Annex

Wednesday, September 5
American Red Cross Blood Drive
10 AM-4 PM | Van Pelt and Opie Library (17)
Donations by appointment or walk-in.

Snack Break
2 PM | MUB (34), Circle

Capture the Flag
7 PM | Campus Mall

Thursday, September 6
American Red Cross Blood Drive
10 AM-4 PM | Van Pelt and Opie Library (17)
Donations by appointment or walk-in.

SISU Smoothies with
Student Activities and CDI
4-6 PM | Hamar House (13), Lawn
This is part of 906 Day. No cost is associated.

906 Night - Live Music by Bob Hiltunen
9:06 PM | MUB (34), Ballroom
This is part of 906 Day. No cost is associated.

Friday, September 7
K-Day
12-4 PM | Chassell Centennial Park
Food, snacks, and bounce houses make K-Day one of the best annual traditions at Michigan Tech. Student organizations will have booths to learn more about getting involved. Shuttles will be provided from the bus stop outside the MUB (34). No cost is associated.

WMTU Concert
5-8 PM | Walker (11), Lawn
No cost is associated.

Saturday, September 8
Fraternity Open Houses
1-5 PM | College Avenue
Walk along College Avenue to learn more about fraternity Greek Life.

Welcome Week Ice Bash presented by IRHC Broomball and MUB Board
4-6 PM | SDC (24), John MacInnes Student Ice Arena

Rock, Paper, Scissors Tournament with MUB Board
7 PM | MUB (34), Ballroom B

Men’s Football vs. Hillsdale
8 PM | SDC (24), Sherman Field
CAREER SERVICES
EVENTS

Career Kick-off
Tuesday, September 4 | 11 AM-2 PM
Career Services Tent
Stop by the tent for a treat and to learn about our upcoming events.

Handshake Genius Bar
Wednesday, September 5 | 11 AM-2 PM
Career Services Tent
Handshake is a must for all things career. Stop by to set up your profile and get started.

How to Start Your Resume
Wednesday, September 12 | 5-6 PM
Friday, September 14 | 12-1 PM
Admin (1), Room 220
Learn the basics of creating a resume that employers will be excited to read.

Resume Lab
Wednesday, September 19 | 12-3 PM
Admin (1), Room 220
Bring your laptop and work on your resume with the help of Career Services staff.

Prep Yourself
Monday, September 24 | 11 AM-2 PM
MUB (34), Ballroom
One-stop career fair prep shop. Resume review, interview prep, personal introductions, career fair name tags and more.

Resume & Interview Blitz
Thursday, September 27 & Monday, October 1 | 11 AM-2 PM
MUB (34), Commons
Get your resume reviewed or practice your interview skills with the help of industry professionals.

First-Timers Career Fair Tours
Wednesday, October 3 | 1, 2, 3 and 4 PM
SDC (24), Main Entrance
First time at a career fair? Let us show you around.
# Academic Advising Locations

These locations are for meetings on Monday, August 27.

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**Placement Testing**

**ALEKS Math Placement Assessment**
The ALEKS Math Placement Assessment is available for students who were not able to take the assessment during the summer. Completion of the assessment ensures students are placed in the appropriate math course. The assessment will take 90 minutes to complete. Students should plan to attend more than one testing session as the assessment can be taken up to three times. A minimum of three hours in a Prep and Learning module is required before students can take a second or third assessment. Math placement is based on the highest score earned. Bring a credit card to pay the $26.50 assessment fee.

**English as a Second Language**
Students enrolled in English as a Second Language (ESL) are required to take the Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) before registering for classes. Bring your M-number and a form of photo ID with you to the test.

**Modern Language Placement Tests**

*French, German, and Spanish*
These tests are required for students who have prior experience in French, German, or Spanish and wish to take modern language classes at Michigan Tech. The test ensures placement into the appropriate language level/course. You are encouraged to pre-register for the exam at the following link: mtu.edu/humanities/undergraduate/modern-languages/register You may also register onsite (please have your HuskyCard available). The test takes an hour to complete. If you submitted AP scores or took the placement test prior to coming to campus, you do not need to take the test during orientation.

**Spatial Visualization Test**
All engineering and engineering management students are required to take this test. You must bring your Michigan Tech email address, M-number, and a #2 pencil. This test determines your placement in First-Year Engineering courses.

**Ensemble Information**

Below is information for some musical ensembles that Michigan Tech’s Visual and Performing Arts department hosts. For more information about other ensembles go to mtu.edu/vpa/music/ensembles.

**ConScience: Michigan Tech Chamber Singers**
Schedule an audition at the sign-up posted on mtu.edu/vpa/musicensembles/choirs. Audition times are available Wednesday, August 29 through Friday, August 31 between noon and 5 pm. Contact Dr. Jared Anderson at jaredand@mtu.edu.

**Huskies Pep Band**
Attend Pep Band Camp during Orientation Week to learn more. No audition required.

**Jazz Lab Band**
Contact Mike Christianson at mchristi@mtu.edu to schedule an audition for Monday, September 3.

**Keweenaw Symphony Orchestra**
KSO has openings for string, woodwind, brass, and percussion student musicians. Contact Dr. Joel Neves at jbneves@mtu.edu to schedule an audition.

**Michigan Tech Concert Choir**
Schedule an Audition at the sign-up posted on mtu.edu/vpa/musicensembles/choirs Audition times are available Wednesday, August 29 through Friday, August 31 between noon and 5 pm. Contact Dr. Jared Anderson at jaredand@mtu.edu.

**Research and Development Jazz Band**
Contact Mike Christianson at mchristi@mtu.edu for more information. No audition required except a “mild” tryout for rhythm section.

**Superior Wind Symphony**
Contact Mike Christianson at mchristi@mtu.edu to schedule an audition for Monday, September 3.