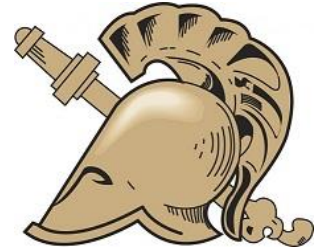


West Point Family Weekend 2018



Note on the events of the weekend – on Family Weekend, we try to offer a variety of activities for parents and family members to learn more about the academy and enjoy the surroundings of West Point. Please discuss the offerings with your cadets. They may have some suggestions on what you may enjoy, based on their experience to date.

For the boat rides, we have filled up each year at the initial registration only to have families not show up – without notice – and only have the boat half-filled and no way to get the word out offering the opportunity to cruise the Hudson to others. If your plans change, please let us know at your earliest convenience. We have a waiting list. Thank you!

19 October:

6:30 a.m. – 10 p.m. Shuttle buses for Family Members will circulate around post. Please park in A Lot, near Michie Stadium and Buffalo Soldier Field, inside Thayer Gate.

7 a.m.-3 p.m. Parent Welcome Center Open-Cullum Hall
Stop by to pick up a handout and map – we will have coffee available too!

7 a.m.-7 p.m. Jefferson Hall (Library) open – Parents/visitors must have visitor ID or escort for entry

8 a.m. - 4 p.m. Cadet Bookstore, Thayer Hall open

8 a.m. - 5 p.m. Cadet Store, Bldg. 606

9 a.m.-5 p.m. Simulation Center Open – Washington Hall (Escort Required)

9-10 a.m. Superintendent Welcome – Robinson Auditorium, Thayer Hall
(Time will be allowed for a Q & A session)

10 a.m.-1 p.m. Quarters 100 tours – Tours of the Superintendent's Residence – visitors will be admitted in groups on a first come, first served basis – no registration required. This is a popular event. We will close the line at a certain point as we are limited as to how many we can accommodate. Last group will enter at 12:30 p.m. In the event of bad weather, the tours will be cancelled.

10 a.m.-2 p.m. Library Information services briefings – Jefferson Hall - Rm 514 – sessions will begin on the hour and will last about 35-40 minutes. Sessions will highlight library services available to cadets.

10 a.m.-3 p.m. Kimsey Center-Hall of Army Sports Open – self tour of the displays

11:15 a.m.-Noon History Presentation – Gen. Pershing and WWI 100th Anniversary (Robinson Auditorium)
Presentation given by Mr. Sherman Fleek – USMA Historian

In November, we will re-dedicate Pershing Barracks on the 100th Anniversary of the end of WW1.

12:45 p.m.-1:30 Indoor Obstacle Course Test – (IOCT) Demonstration – Hayes Gymnasium, Arvin Physical Development Center – Visitor ID required for entry

1:30 -2:15 p.m. Academic Program Briefing – Robinson Auditorium – Thayer Hall – overview and resources – time will be allowed for Q & A.

2:30-3:15 p.m. Summer Training - Robinson Auditorium, Thayer Hall – Overview of summer training and how the experience builds beginning with CBT through the 47-month experience.

3-4:30 p.m. Academic Time – academic departments will hold open houses. This is an opportunity to visit the departments and meet staff and faculty members.

4-6 p.m. Barracks Open house – cadets will escort parents to their barracks areas (where they live) - TAC teams available for questions

5 p.m. Swimming/Diving vs. Yale – Crandall Pool, Arvin Physical Development Center

5 p.m. Men’s Rugby vs. Notre Dame College – Anderson Rugby Complex – Tower Road

6-7:30 p.m. Cadet/Family Dinner in the Cadet Mess – tickets must be purchased by cadets. Deadline to purchase, Friday, Oct. 12.

7 p.m. Women’s Rugby vs. Notre Dame College - Anderson Rugby Complex

8-9 p.m. Chapel Choirs concert – Cadet Chapel – come hear the very talented choirs perform!

11:30 p.m. Taps

20 October:

7:30-8:45 a.m. Parent’s Coffee Hour – Look for the tent behind the bleachers at the Plain

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8 a.m. - Noon Fort Putnam open for visitors - enter via Delafield Road access

8: 20 a.m. Alumni Wreath Laying Ceremony - Thayer Statue

8:45 - 9 a.m. Drill Team Performance on the Plain

9 a.m. Cadet Review – All four regiments, followed by WP Parachute Team

9 a.m. - 4:15 p.m. West Point Museum open: Pershing Center, Highland Falls

9 a.m. - 4:45 p.m. Visitors Center Open & Army Athletic Association Gift Shop

Noon - **Beat Miami (OH)! March On & cordon by First Regiment**

7 p.m. Men’s Soccer vs. Bucknell - Clinton Field

21 October:

9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Brunch in the Cadet Mess – cadets are responsible for purchasing tickets for their guests.

11:30 a.m.-1 p.m. Hudson Boat Ride – departs from South Dock – limit of 100 passengers

1 p.m. Women’s Soccer vs. Holy Cross – Malek Stadium – Clinton Soccer Field

1:30-3 p.m. Hudson Boat Ride – departs from South Dock – limit of 100 passengers

3:30-5 p.m. Hudson Boat Ride – departs from South Dock – limit of 100 passengers

Academic Open Houses

Meet members of the staff and faculty

3 - 4:30 p.m.

Please see the map for locations

Bartlett Hall

Physics & Nuclear Engineering, Room 171, A & B

Chemistry & Life Sciences, Room 150

Building 606

(near Grant Turn-around)

Law, 4th Floor Conference Room

Thayer Hall

Behavioral Sciences and Leadership, 2nd Floor

Math, 2nd Floor

Mahan Hall

Civil and Mechanical Engineering, B & C Levels

Systems Engineering, Room 415

Lincoln Hall

Social Sciences, Room 100

Washington Hall

Foreign Languages, Rooms along 5200 Hallway

Geography and Environmental Engineering, Room 5300

Tentative schedule as of Oct. 17, 2018 – prepared by Parent Communications – 845 938-8826