

Soar Peer Mentoring Program

Welcome Week Schedule 2023

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 16th

12:00 PM to 3:30 PM – Soar Program Mentee Check-In and Move-In
Various First-Year Residence Halls (Naugle, Witmer, and Bittner)

4:00 PM to 5:30 PM – Mix & Mingle with Mentees and Families
Legacy Park Amphitheater (rain location, Jordan Atrium)

5:45 PM to 7:45 PM – Soar Program First Night Social – Escape Room
Two groups at two times - 5:45 PM to 6:45 PM and then 6:45 PM to 7:45 PM
Messiah University Oakes Museum and Jordan Atrium (group not in escape room will hang out and do activities)

7:45 PM to – Pizza and Hang Out
Jordan Atrium

THURSDAY, AUGUST 17th

11:00 AM to 1:00 PM – Kickoff Brunch (overview of program, expectations)
Boyer Atrium & Parmer Cinema

1:00 PM to 2:30 PM – Mentor Led Campus Tour (focus on highlighting academic buildings and services on campus)
Various Locations

2:30 PM to 5:00 PM – Break

5:00 PM to 6:00 PM – Dinner
Lottie Nelson Dining Hall, Eisenhower Campus Center

7:00 PM to 9:00 PM – Life Talk/Ice Cream Social
The Loft

FRIDAY, AUGUST 18th

12:00 PM to 1:00 PM – Lunch

Lottie Nelson Dining Hall, Eisenhower Campus Center

7:00 PM to 8:30 PM – Candlelight Service (attend with Soar Program group if desired/possible)

Hitchcock Arena, Sollenberger Sports Center

SATURDAY, AUGUST 19th

9:00 AM to 11:00 AM – Local Store Van Run

**Sign up required. More information will be available on arrival.*

SUNDAY, AUGUST 20th

No scheduled programming.

MONDAY, AUGUST 21st

9:00 AM to 11:00 AM – Local Store Van Run

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IMPORTANT: Please refer to the [full orientation schedule](#) for additional details and activities for Welcome Week through the website or Guidebook App (visit your app store and search "Messiah University Guides" to download the event app).