

# Summer Freshmen Orientation 2008



## June 28-30, 2008

### Welcome to Bloomsburg University!

Congratulations on your acceptance and welcome to your "summer home". The Orientation Staff is here to help you transition to college life... By attending all orientation events you will be prepared to begin classes and will be informed of what you need to know to be successful at BU- the rest is up to you! Please review the schedule of events and checklists in this program to get started...we are looking forward to meeting you!

### Saturday, June 28

**\*All events after dinner and through June 30 are for students only.**

10am-4pm	University Store Open	
8am-4pm	<b>Resident Student Move-In</b>	Elwell Hall
11am-4pm	<b>ID Pictures (Commuters &amp; Residents)</b>	Elwell Hall
11am-1pm	<b>Brunch</b> Meal plans begin for resident students (you will need your student ID to gain access). Guests can pay \$7.00 per person at the door.	Scranton Commons
3:00-4:00pm	<b>Commuter Check-In</b>	Warren Student Services Center
4:00-5:00pm	<b>Welcome To Bloomsburg!</b> By Groups... Parents/guests and students should attend this meeting.	Carver Hall
5:00-6:00pm	<b>Welcome to Bloomsburg!</b> By Groups...	Carver Hall
4:00-5:00pm	<b>Dinner</b> by Groups-these will be assigned	Scranton Commons
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9:00pm	<b>Pizza &amp; Karaoke</b> Come and test out your singing abilities & enjoy free pizza!	Elwell Hall Lobby

### Fitting it All In - Saturday:

- Pick up room key
- Pick up orientation schedule and nametag
- Read through your "New at BU" Student Handbook
- Get ID picture taken
- Stop by the University Store to check out book prices
- Attend 4:00 or 5:00pm meeting-bring orientation schedule, nametag, and pen or pencil
- Park your car in the green lot before going to bed!

### Sunday, June 29

11am-1pm	Brunch	Scranton Commons
10am-5:30pm	University Store Open	
2:30-4pm	<b>Discovery Team Meeting I</b> Meet your OWL, take a tour of campus, and meet some of your fellow classmates!	Nametag location
4-5:00pm	<b>Dinner</b> by Groups - to be determined	Scranton Commons
4:30-5:30pm	<b>Dinner</b> by Groups - to be determined	Scranton Commons
5-6pm	<b>Fire &amp; Safety Meeting</b> -by Groups - to be determined This meeting is mandatory for all new resident students. A hold will be placed on your record if you do not attend.	Kehr Union 345 A & B
6-7pm	<b>Fire &amp; Safety Meeting</b> -by Groups - to be determined This meeting is mandatory for all new resident students. A hold will be placed on your record if you do not attend.	Kehr Union 345 A & B
7-8:30pm	<b>Residence Life Information</b> (Resident students)	Elwell Hall (see your CA)
9pm-12am	<b>Dance &amp; Inflatable Games</b> Commuter and Resident students are invited!	Kehr Union Ballroom 408

## Fitting it All In - Sunday:

- Bring orientation schedule, New at BU handbook, nametag, ID and pen to all events
- Meet someone new....visit your neighbors
- Buy books
- Take a walk downtown
- Check out the Rec Center
- Visit [www.bloomu.edu/today](http://www.bloomu.edu/today) for latest campus news and information

## Monday, June 30

7:00-8:30am	Breakfast	Scranton Commons
8am-4pm	Vehicle Registration... Bring insurance & owner's card & license.	Scranton Commons
8am-4:30pm	University Store Open	
8:30am	<b>Discovery Team Meeting II</b>	Nametag location
9:30am	<b>Academic Advisement</b>	Carver Hall
10:30am	<b>Dean's Meeting</b> —learn more about a college (choose one) & options you have when you are ready to declare a major. You can view a list of majors in your new student handbook.	

Liberal Arts	Dr. Jim Brown	Centennial Hall 218
Business	Dr. David Martin	McCormick 2303
Professional Studies	Dr. Dianne Mark	McCormick 1303
Science & Technology	Dr. Robert Marande	Hartline Science Center 134

11:30pm **Lunch/ID/University Store/Vehicle**  
Groups: To be determined  
Scranton Commons

12:15pm **Lunch/ID/University Store/Vehicle**  
Groups: To be determined  
Scranton Commons

1:00-5:00pm See below for activities. Follow the event, time and location by your group letter.

AIDS Workshop – Learn how to protect yourself.

Brian Johnson – Interact with our dynamic speaker and discover how to be successful in life and in college.

Academic Success—Learn about STINF and what it means to be successful academically at BU.

“Paint Your Campus Blue”- A fun, interactive session on learning how to work with others as demonstrated by two OWLs – Tristan Zelinka and Ashley Nelson.

Groups – to be determined

1:00-3pm	Brian Johnson	Kehr Union 345 A&B
3:00-4:00pm	AIDS Workshop	Carver Hall
4:00-5:00pm	Academic Success	Carver Hall
5:00-6:00pm	Dinner	Scranton Commons
6:00-6:30pm	“Paint Your Campus Blue”	Kehr Union 345 A&B

Groups – to be determined

1:00-2:00pm	AIDS Workshop	Carver Hall
2:00-3pm	Academic Success	Carver Hall
3:00-5pm	Brian Johnson	Kehr Union 345 A&B
5:30-6:00pm	Dinner	Scranton Commons
6:30-7:00pm	“Paint Your Campus Blue”	Kehr Union 345 A&B

7:30-9:00pm **BU Bucks/Bingo**  
Use the BU Bucks you earned over the weekend to win prizes!  
Limit 4 cards per person. **The first**

## Fitting it All In - Monday:

- Bring orientation schedule, nametag, ID and pen to all events
- Meet someone new
- Register vehicle
- Visit [www.bloomu.edu/today](http://www.bloomu.edu/today) for latest campus news and information

## Tuesday, July 1

8:00am

**Classes Begin...** Follow your schedule for the day

8am-7pm

University Store Open

### **Fitting It All In - Tuesday:**

- Go to class, bring pen and notebook, *turn off cell phone*
- Carry keys and ID- lock your room door
- Find out summer library hours
- Check out the summer activities calendar online
- Organize a calendar for the summer with all assignments and exams
- Check out the Rec Center
- Visit [www.bloomu.edu/today](http://www.bloomu.edu/today) for latest campus news and information

### Summer Freshmen Orientation Teams

Your OWL (Orientation Workshop Leader) is a current BU student. Throughout the Orientation events, you will be paired with the same OWL, and he/she is available to answer your questions, help you get around campus, and will be one of the first people you will connect with as you begin your summer program. Do not hesitate to ask questions! Good luck!

#### **OWL**

#### **OWL Group**

#### **Team Meeting Location**

We appreciate your feedback, so please take the time to tell us what you think by completing an online orientation evaluation form at [www.bloomu.edu/orientation](http://www.bloomu.edu/orientation). Click on the Summer Freshman link and you'll be on your way!

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