FAIRFIELD UNIVERSITY



ALUMNI & FAMILY WEEKEND

OCT. 15-17, 2021

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS



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Be Social

Looking to connect to our network while on campus? Connect to "Fairfield Guest" network - No password or setup process required! Follow @fairfieldu and use #AFW21 in your posts to be part of the action all weekend long!

Contact

For questions at any point during the weekend, please stop by the Barone Campus Center, 3rd Floor Tully Information Desk or email alumnifamweekend@fairfield.edu.

Covid-19

Masks are required for entry into all Fairfield University indoor facilities, regardless of vaccination status. Fairfield University is requiring all visitors to be vaccinated or be able to provide proof of a negative PCR test or antigen test within 72 hours of your first campus event. No at home tests will be accepted. Children that are unvaccinated must also show a negative test. Some of our indoor events will require proof of vaccination or negative test for admittance.

Visitors are asked to refrain from coming to campus if they are experiencing any of the following Covid-related symptoms: Fever or chills, cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, fatigue, muscle or body aches, headache, new loss of taste or smell, sore throat, congestion or runny nose, nausea, vomiting or diarrhea.

Students living on campus are not permitted to host non-student visitors in any University housing.

How do I get my tickets?

STAGFEST: StagFest vouchers can be picked up at the Barone Campus Center, Third Floor Tully Information Desk, until 11:30 a.m. on Saturday. After that time, vouchers will be moved to Bellarmine Lawn for pick up at StagFest. Additional vouchers will also be available for purchase during the event, space permitting. See page 12 for pricing. Cash and credit cards accepted (with the exception of Discover).

TULLY MEALS: Meal vouchers can be picked up or purchased for \$10 at the Barone Campus Center, Third Floor Tully Information Desk prior to each meal time. Children under 10 years of age are free. Current Fairfield University students without a meal plan are welcome to show us their StagCard at the Tully Information Desk to receive a free meal ticket (only to be used during AFW). Cash and credit cards accepted (with the exception of Discover).

MEN'S SOCCER GAME: Tickets purchased in advance may be printed or downloaded on your phone to be scanned at the entrance to Lessing Field. Additional tickets may be purchased at the ticket tent. Lessing Field is a "preferred cashless" venue. All major credit cards are accepted.

QUICK CENTER EVENTS: Alumni & Family ticket pick-up for all Quick Center events is contingent on proof of Covid-19 vaccination card or negative PCR or antigen test within 72 hours of their first oncampus event. Show tickets can be picked up or reserved free of charge at the Quick Center Box Office an hour before showtime. Any tickets not picked up within 10 minutes of showtime, will be given to the next family on the wait list.

ALUMNI & FAMILY WEEKEND SCHEDULE

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 15 TIME EVENT

TIME 11 a.m. -**Fairfield University Art Museum** 4 p.m. **Open Houses** Stop by the Bellarmine Hall Galleries to view the museum's permanent collection and two of its special exhibitions, Roberto Lugo: New Ceramics and Robert Gerhardt: Mic Check. Families are also invited to participate in arts & crafts in the museum's classroom! In the Walsh Gallery in the Quick Center for the Arts, take in the powerful new exhibition Carrie Mae Weems: The Usual Suspects. 5 - 8 p.m. **AFW Check-In & Ticket Pickup** Check in and pick up your pre-purchased event tickets and weekend schedules. 5 - 8 p.m. **Fairfield Friday Dinner** Family, friends, and alumni are invited to experience a Fairfield Friday dinner in

John A. Barone Campus Center, Third Floor, Tully Information Desk

LOCATION

Bellarmine Hall Galleries

in Bellarmine Hall &

Walsh Gallery in the

Quick Center for

the Arts

Fairfield Friday Dinner Family, friends, and alumni are invited to experience a Fairfield Friday dinner in the Tully Dining Commons. Take part in an authentic Fairfield University dining experience, as you get the opportunity to eat where your students do.

John A. Barone Campus Center, Fourth Floor, Tully Dining Commons

Family Fun Paint Night
In a relaxed, fun setting, you will be guided
step-by-step through the process of
replicating the event's featured painting.
No right or wrong! No previous art
experience necessary.
Blank canvas, paint, smocks and

Faber Hall Dining Commons

7 - 8 p.m. Juggling Comedy Show Pre-Show Social Help yourself to desserts, coffee and tea before the show!

refreshments will be provided.

Regina A. Quick Center for the Arts, Lobby

8 - 9 p.m. Juggling Comedy Show with Ivan Pecel

Leave every notion of what you "thought" a juggler was at the door. Based in Los Angeles, CA, Pecel brings the term "High Energy" to an entirely different level by delivering an unforgettable show. Whether Ivan is blindly juggling ping pong balls using only his mouth, or having you laughing so hard you cry, his show is guaranteed to change your mind about juggling. See note on page 2 regarding ticket pick up policies.

Regina A. Quick Center for the Arts, Kelley Theatre

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6 - 8 p.m.

FRIDAY, O	FRIDAY, OCTOBER 15					
TIME	EVENT	LOCATION				
8 - 10:30 p.m.	Young Alumni Mug Night Class of 2021 is invited back to the beach for this annual event!	The Seagrape Café 144 Reef Road				
9:30 - 11:30 p.m.	DIY String Art Channel your inner creativity as you create a string art masterpiece. String art consists of weaving colored string or yarn between hammered nails to make geometric patterns. Guests will have a choice of four patterns.	John A. Barone Campus Center, Lower Level				
9:30 - 11:30 p.m.	Fairfield Friday Screening of Mamma Mia! Our on-campus movie theatre grants audience members with an unforgettable experience. Lounge in the chairs, enjoy complimentary popcorn and candy, and join us for the screening of this classic film focused on a bride-to-be in Greece as she attempts to solve the mystery of her paternity by reading her mother's diary.	Gonzaga Auditorium				

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8 - 11:30 a.m.	AFW Check-In & Ticket Pickup Check in and pick up your pre-purchased event tickets and weekend schedules. John A. Barone Campus Center, Floor, Tully Infor						
	Any StagFest tickets not picked up by 11:30 a.m., will be moved to the Bellarmine Lawn ticket tent for pick up at StagFest.	Desk					
8 - 11 a.m.	Fairfield Breakfast Family, friends, and alumni are invited to breakfast in the Tully Dining Commons. Take part in an authentic Fairfield University dining experience, as you get the opportunity to eat where your students do.	John A. Barone Campus Center, Fourth Floor, Tully Dining Commons					
8:30 - 10 a.m.	President's Welcome Breakfast *Invitation Only*	Bellarmine Hall, Diffley Board Room					
9 a.m 6:30 p.m.	Ziplining at The Adventure Park Guests are invited to spend part of their weekend in the trees! This five-acre, 11-course aerial forest park has over 100 platforms connected by bridges & zip lines.	The Adventure Park at the Discovery Museum (4450 Park Avenue, Bridgeport, CT)					

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9 a.m 4:30 p.m.	Friends of Fairfield Rugby Homecoming Rugby Fest This year's Rugby Fest kicks off with the City of Bridgeport Rugby Alliance (COBRA) youth rugby scrimmage followed by the Red Rugger Alumni game at 11 a.m. Join us at noon for special presentations on Grauert Field including remarks from President Mark R. Nemec, PhD followed by two Liberty Conference men's rugby matches vs. University of Rhode Island at 1:30 p.m. Complimentary food & beverages.	Lt. Hans Grauert Field
9:30 a.m 10:30 a.m.	"A Synodal Church: What Does Pope Francis Mean?" a Catholic Studies Panel All are invited to join us for this engaging panel led by Paul Lakeland, Rev. Aloysius P. Kelley S.J. Professor of Catholic Studies and Chair of the Center for Catholic Studies.	Aloysius P. Kelley Center, Presentation Room
10 - 10:45 a.m. (this session is offered again at 12:15 p.m.)	Studying Abroad: Fairfield's Offerings & What Families Need to Know Global Fairfield will showcase Fairfield's academic partnerships abroad while highlighting programs that complement, supplement and enhance the academics offered on campus. Families will be provided with "next steps" to discuss with their students, so together they can successfully incorporate study abroad into their Fairfield experience.	Gonzaga Auditorium
10 - 11 a.m	White Coat Ceremony The Fairfield University community celebrates our Class of 2024 nursing students as they are formally inducted into the start of their clinical experience. *Invitation Only*	Regina A. Quick Center for the Arts
10 - 11:30 a.m.	Fairfield Legacy Association Reception The Office of Alumni Relations invites Fairfield University legacy families to a special reception. Over 19 percent of Fairfield graduates are members of a legacy family and nearly 600 current undergraduate students have parents, grandparents, or siblings who are fellow Stags. Meet and mingle with alumni and current students with Fairfield family ties and celebrate being a part of this great	Dolan School of Business, Event Hall

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Stag family.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 16	

TIME	EVENT	LOCATION		
11 a.m. – Noon	President's Welcome Address & Campus Update Help us kick off Alumni & Family Weekend with an official welcome from our ninth President of Fairfield University, Mark R. Nemec, PhD. The address will also feature an insightful panel discussion regarding updates on campus facilities, athletics, mission & identity, student life, academics and more.	John A. Barone Campus Center, Third Floor, Oak and Dogwood Rooms		
11 a.m. – 4 p.m.	Fairfield University Art Museum Open Houses Stop by the Bellarmine Hall Galleries to view the museum's permanent collection and two of its special exhibitions, Roberto Lugo: New Ceramics and Robert Gerhardt: Mic Check. Families are also invited to participate in arts & crafts in the museum's classroom! In the Walsh Gallery in the Quick Center for the Arts, take in the powerful new exhibition Carrie Mae Weems: The Usual Suspects.	Bellarmine Hall Galleries in Bellarmine Hall & Walsh Gallery in the Quick Center for the Arts		
Noon - 4 p.m.	StagFest This is our annual Alumni & Family Weekend Festival which has something to offer the entire family, providing a variety of food vendors, a wine + beer garden, the Lil' Stags Zone (featuring a petting zoo), a Stags Pep Rally and live band entertainment performed by "The Adults." This festival is free and open to guests of all ages, with vouchers required only for the food vendors and wine + beer garden. See page 12 for additional information.	Bellarmine Lawn		
12:15 - 1 p.m.	The Fairfield Residential Experience Residential life at Fairfield University consists of a variety of on-campus housing options with housing guaranteed for four years to all full-time, matriculated undergraduate students. The Office of Residence Life will provide families with all they need to know about our residential experience, including the housing processes to better inform their students options for their remaining years at Fairfield.	Aloysius P. Kelley Center, Presentation Room		

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1 - 3 p.m.	Women's Volleyball vs. Manhattan Come support the Stags as they take on the Jaspers!	Leslie C. Quick, Jr. Recreational Complex, Field House			
3 - 4 p.m.	Residence Life & Residential College Alumni Mixer *Invitation Only*	42 Langguth Hall Lounge & Patio			
3 - 3:30 p.m.	Stags Pep Rally Join our varsity athletic teams, coaches, and administrators as we officially kick off the 2021-2022 athletic season. The Pep Rally will feature remarks from our Men's and Women's Basketball Coaches as well as appearances by our Cheer and Dance Teams.	Bellarmine Lawn			
5 - 6 p.m.	Alumni & Family Weekend Mass Celebration Join the Fairfield University community as we celebrate an Alumni & Family Weekend liturgy celebrated by Rev. Gerald Blaszczak, S.J., alumni Chaplain.	Egan Chapel of St. Ignatius of Loyola			
5 - 8 p.m.	Happy Hour Wood Workshop @ AR Workshop Visit this local workshop to make your own mini-wood sign! The workshop staff will help you walk away with a 4" x 8" masterpiece that you'll be proud to display. You may bring your own food/drink.	869 Post Road Fairfield, CT 06824 (in the Bob's Plaza)			
5 - 8 p.m.	Dinner in Town	Town of Fairfield			

Town of Fairfield The Town of Fairfield is excited to have you in the area for the weekend.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 16

TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
5:30 p.m 7:30 p.m.	Friends of Men's Soccer Alumni Pre-Game Reception Class of 2006 and 2011 MAAC Championships will be honored. *Invitation Only*	Rafferty Stadium VIP Suite
7 - 9 p.m.	Class of 2020 Cocktail Party Class of 2020, join us for this exclusive class special cocktail reception under the tent on Bellarmine Lawn. *Invitation only. No guests permitted.*	Bellarmine Hall & Terrace
7 - 9 p.m.	Men's Soccer vs. Iona Watch the Stags take on the Iona Gaels!	Lessing Field
7 - 8 p.m.	The Great Dubois: Pre-Show Social Help yourself to desserts, coffee and tea before the show!	Regina A. Quick Center for the Arts



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8 - 9 p.m.	The Great Dubois: The World's Most Unique 2 Person Circus Show A fast-paced, high energy circus show for all ages, showcasing incredible feats of juggling, hula hoops, unicycle, aerial, circus stunts, contortion, magic and audience interaction all wrapped up in a blanket of comedy. Simply put, Michael DuBois and Viktoria Grimmy are the most unique two-person circus show you will ever see!	Regina A. Quick Center for the Arts
	Recently featured in Hugh Jackman's hit movie, "The Greatest Showman", The Great DuBois have amassed an impressive list of credits, including the Tony Award winning "Pippin" on Broadway, "The Tonight Show with Jay Leno", "Late Night with David Letterman", Britney Spears World Circus Tour, and the movie "Burlesque" to highlight just a few. See note on page 2 regarding ticket pick up policies.	
9:30 - 11 p.m.	Saturday Screening of Dolittle Our on-campus movie theatre grants audience members with an unforgettable experience. Lounge in the chairs, enjoy complimentary popcorn and candy, and join us for the screening of Robert Downey Jr. as he electrifies one of literature's most enduring characters in a vivid reimagining of the classic tale of the man who could talk to animals: Dolittle.	Gonzaga Auditorium
9:30 - 11 p.m.	Fairfield Family Bingo Join our students for their favorite late-night event! Put your luck to the test as you try to win big prizes and enjoy a delicious ice cream sundae bar.	John A. Barone Campus Center, Fourth Floor, Tully Dining Commons

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TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
7:30 a.m. - 2 p.m.	Fairfield Brunch Family, friends, and alumni are invited to a final meal on campus to close out the weekend.	John A. Barone Campus Center, Third Floor, Oak Room
10 a.m 2 p.m.	Brunch Canvas Pillow Workshop @ AR Workshop Visit this local workshop to make your own canvas pillow case! The workshop staff will help you walk away with a beautiful pillow that you'll be proud to display in your home. You may bring your own food/drink.	869 Post Road Fairfield, CT 06824 (in the Bob's Plaza)
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11 a.m. – 1 p.m.	Women's Club Rugby vs. Rensselaer Return to Grauert Field for the Tri-State Conference Women's Rugby match vs. Rensselaer.	Lt. Hans Grauert Field
11 a.m. – Noon	Alumni & Family Weekend Mass Celebration Join the Fairfield University community as we celebrate an Alumni & Family Weekend liturgy presided by Rev. Keith Maczkiewicz, S.J., '04, Director of Campus Ministry and University Chaplain.	Egan Chapel of St. Ignatius of Loyola
11:30 a.m.	Women's Club Soccer vs. Central Connecticut	Barlow Field
12:30 - 2 p.m.	Glee Club Concert Carole Ann Maxwell, D.S.M., will direct the Glee Club as they kick off their 75th Season of Music. This is an annual event that you definitely don't want to miss! See note on page 2 regarding ticket pick up policies.	Regina A. Quick Center for the Arts
1 - 3 p.m.	Women's Volleyball vs. Iona Come support the Stags as they take on the Iona Gaels!	Leslie C. Quick, Jr. Recreational Complex, Field House
1 - 3 p.m.	Field Hockey vs. Hofstra Come support the Stags as they take on the Hofstra Pride!	University Field

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SUNDAY, OCTOBER 17

TIME	EVENT	LOCATION
3 - 4:30 p.m.	Alpha Sigma Nu Induction Ceremony & Reception The Fairfield University chapter of Alpha Sigma Nu will celebrate the induction of juniors, seniors and graduate students, who have been chosen for their excellent academic record, service to others, and commitment to Jesuit ideals. All alumni, families, and students are welcome to attend this ceremony and post reception.	Regina A. Quick Center for the Arts
8 p.m.	Men's Club Ice Hockey vs. Stony Brook	Rinks at Shelton





STAGFEST

Noon - 4 p.m. • Bellarmine Lawn

This is our annual Alumni & Family Weekend Festival which has something to offer the entire family. There are a variety of food vendors, a wine + beer garden, the Lil' Stags Zone, a Stags Pep Rally, photo booth and live band entertainment performed by "The Adults." This festival is free and open to guests of all ages, with vouchers required only for the food vendors and wine + beer garden. All guests will have access to complimentary water, with additional non-alcoholic beverages available for purchase.

STAGFEST VOUCHERS

& PACKAGES	PRICE	INCLUDES
StagFest Single Food Voucher	\$6	One food voucher
StagFest Single Drink Voucher	\$5	One beer, cider or wine
StagFest Drink Package	\$25	Unlimited beer, cider and wine, and commemorative Fairfield University mug

All guests will have access to complimentary water, with additional non-alcoholic beverages available for purchase.

Food vouchers can be redeemed by anyone in your family, at any of the vendors for these \$6 items.

Multiple food vouchers are needed for additional items at the same or multiple vendors.

STAGFEST FOOD VENDORS

Alene's Ice Cream - Novelty Ice Cream

Caseus Cheese Truck - Grilled Cheese & Tomato Soup

Cinnnabomb Mini-Donut Factory -Mini Donuts

Fiesta Taco Truck - Tacos, Burritos, Quesadillas

Fire Engine Pizza Co - Specialty Pizza Slices

Flaco's Tacos - Baja Tacos

Garden Catering - Chicken Nuggets (GF) & Potato Cones (GF)

Micalizzi's Italian Ice - Homemade Italian Ice & Hard Ice Cream

Old Post Tavern - Oysters & Lobster Rolls

Super Duper Burger Truck - Burgers (GF), Veggie Burgers & Fries (GF) - GF bread available

PopCentric - Gourmet Ice Pops (GF, DF, Vegan available)

Super Duper Weenie - Hot dogs (GF) & Fries (GF) - GF bread available

Stags Hospitality - Warm Apple Crisp & Quinoa Kale Salad (GF, Vegan)

Uncle G's Comfort Food - Pulled Pork & Chicken Parm Sliders

Wing It On! - Boneless Wings (GF sauces & dry rubs available) & Waffle Fries

GF = Made without gluten containing ingredients

WINE + BEER GARDEN Bellarmine Lawn

Drink and Ultimate Packages include a commemorative Fairfield University mug! Must be 21 to participate.

Packages are contingent on proof of legal drinking age, which will be checked at the event. No refunds available.

ALUMNI BAND ENTERTAINMENT Bellarmine Lawn

This band is comprised entirely of Fairfield University Alumni – Bill Conroy '91, Peter Grennan '89, Chris Parker '90, Steve Plasiak '91, George Ramirez '91, Jim Sheridan '89, Paul Simonetta '89, and Gene Tiernan '89.

LIL' STAG ZONE Bellarmine Parking Lot and Bellarmine Lawn

This year's kid's area will feature animals from Farm on Wheels and will include: a calf, sheep, goat, duck, rabbit and miniature horse. Inflatables, face painting, and balloon animals will keep the kids occupied all day long. StagFest draws a crowd, so we ask that all children be accompanied by an adult at all times.

STAGS PEP RALLY Bellarmine Lawn

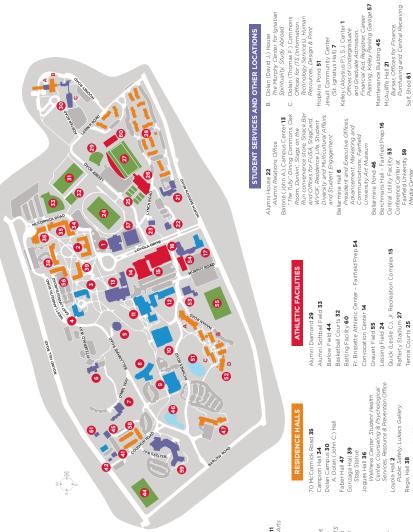
Join our varsity athletic teams, coaches, and administrators as we officially kick off the 2021-2022 athletic season. The Pep Rally will feature remarks from our Men's and Women's Basketball Coaches as well as appearances by our Cheer and Dance Teams.



AMENITIES	FRI, OCT. 15 HOURS	SAT, OCT. 16 HOURS	SUN, OCT. 17 HOURS
Downtown Bookstore 1499 Post Road, Fairfield	9 a.m 9 p.m.	9 a.m 9 p.m.	10 a.m 6 p.m.
Starbucks Café 1499 Post Road, Fairfield	6 a.m 9 p.m.	9 a.m 9 p.m.	9 a.m 9 p.m.
Downtown Stag Bus Service (Departs Barone Campus Center Traffic on the hour)	7 a.m 9 p.m.	Noon - 9 p.m.	12 p.m 9 p.m.
Stag Spirit Shop (On-Campus Bookstore) John A. Barone Campus Center, Second Floor	9 a.m 9 p.m.	9 a.m 8 p.m.	9 a.m 8 p.m.
The Levee Lynch Road	4 - 11 p.m.	4 - 11 p.m.	4 - 10 p.m.
The Stag Snack Bar John A. Barone Campus Center, Third Floor	11 a.m 9 p.m.	3 - 9 p.m.	3 - 9 p.m.
Dunkin' Campus Center John A. Barone Campus Center, Third Floor	7:30 a.m 3 p.m.	8 a.m 4 p.m.	8 a.m 3 p.m.
Dunkin' Dolan Dolan School of Business	7:30 a.m 1 p.m.	Closed	Closed
Dunkin' Library DiMenna-Nyselius Library	8 a.m. – 3 p.m.	Closed	Closed
DiMenna-Nyselius Library	7:45 a.m 10:30 p.m.	10:30 a.m 9 p.m.	10:30 a.m 12 a.m.
Bellarmine Hall Galleries Bellarmine Hall, Ground Floor	11 a.m 4 p.m.	11 a.m 4 p.m.	Closed
Walsh Gallery Quick Center for the Arts	11 a.m 4 p.m.	11 a.m 4 p.m.	Closed
RecPlex	6:30 a.m. - 9 p.m.	9 a.m 9 p.m.	9 a.m 11 p.m.







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We hope to see you in the years to come!

Mark your calendars today for...

FRI, **OCT. 21 -** SUN, **OCT. 23, 2022**

FRI, **OCT. 20 -** SUN, **OCT. 22, 2023**



