

Honors Freshman Retreat 2016

Eagles Landing Day Camp, North Brunswick NJ

August 31, 2016



The Retreat

This year's Dorman Honors College Retreat will be held on **Wednesday, August 31 at Eagle's Landing Day Camp in North Brunswick, NJ**. The purpose of the retreat is to offer incoming Honors freshmen the opportunity to meet and bond with their peers, to create a sense of community with the honors college, and to inform students about the honors college expectations and opportunities.

Arrival and Departure

Arrival time for Honors Residential Students:

Honors first-year residents can move into their residence hall on **Tuesday, August 30th between 10:00 am—1:00 pm**. If this time period is not convenient, please contact the Office of Residence Life to make alternate arrangements. Afterwards, students can relax before coming to the Honors Hall, 2nd floor for the counselor meet and greet and dinner **(4:00 pm – 7:00 pm)**.

Arrival time for Honors Commuter Students:

Honors commuters should arrive at campus on **Wednesday, August 31st between 7:45 am—8:00 am**. Upon arrival, park in the NJIT Parking Deck and come to the Warren Street Village "Green Area" behind Honors Hall.

We will board buses to the day camp at 8:15 am and will return to campus (behind Honors Hall) at approx. 5:00 pm. For the campus map, go to: <http://www.njit.edu/about/visit/njit-maps.php>.

Abbreviated Program Schedule

Tuesday, August 30, 2016

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| 10 AM – 1 PM | Honors First-Year Residents move in |
| 1 PM – 4 PM | Get settled and have lunch on your own |
| 4 PM – 7 PM | Counselor Meet and Greet! Come meet your retreat counselors and gather for dinner and activities (<i>Honors Hall, 2nd Floor</i>) |

Wednesday, August 31, 2016

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| 7:45 AM – 8 AM | Honors First-Year Commuters and Residents arrive (<i>commuters park in deck, everyone meet behind Honors Hall – Warren Street Village Green</i>) |
| 8:30 AM | Depart for Day Camp |
| 9:30AM—4 PM | Day Camp Activities (includes breakfast and lunch) |
| 5 PM | Arrive back on campus |
| 5:30 PM – 7 PM | Pizza Party (<i>meet behind Honors Hall – Warren Street Village Green</i>) |

Chaperones for the Honors Retreat

This retreat is also a great opportunity to meet administrators of the honors college. Our chaperones are:

Dr. John Bechtold, Interim Dean, Honors College

Ms. Lois Chipepo, Assistant Dean for Enrollment

Dr. Dawn Klimovich, Assistant Dean for Academics

Dr. Regina Collins, Associate Director of Writing, Communications, and Outreach

Ms. Alicia Fegghi, Assistant Director of Leadership and Professional Development

30 Upper-class Honors Student Counselors

Important Things to Remember

1. Wear comfortable clothes on the day of the retreat. We will be spending a lot of time outside running around.
2. Food will be provided; you may want to bring snacks like granola bars or bottled drinks. **Meals for vegetarians will be provided as well. If you have specific dietary needs you may want to bring your own food.**
3. You should bring bathing suit, sunglasses, suntan lotion, and a towel because there are pools at Eagles Landing.
4. You should bring any medication you may need: inhaler, epi pen, etc.

What **NOT** to Bring on the Retreat

1. Any illegal substances, including but not limited to, alcoholic beverages and narcotics
2. Cigarettes (smoking is not permitted at Eagles Landing)
3. Laptops, gaming systems, etc. Usage of electronic devices will be limited throughout the day, and there is little service at the camp.

This event will be FUN!! So come with a positive attitude and an open mind. We are excited about getting to know you!



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