



MONTHLY UPDATE

AUGUST 2018

The Student Affairs mission is to cultivate a healthy and supportive campus environment that engages students, advances learning, encourages leadership, and prepares students for future success.

ACADEMIC SUPPORT

In collaboration with the College of Sciences and Mathematics, the Office of Academic Support increased qualified incoming student attendees to the program by **102%** in August 2018 when compared to August 2017.

ASSESSMENT & STRATEGIC PLANNING

Successfully concluded its second year of a Student Affairs Assessment Curriculum with **10** staff members completing the Foundational Level: Tier 1.

AUBURN CARES

The Campus Food Pantry had **11** new users and **42** visits during the month of August.

HEALTH PROMOTION AND WELLNESS SERVICES

TESI (Tiger Education Screening Intervention) facilitators saw a **100%** increase in meetings in August 2018 compared to August 2017, meeting with 18 students and completing 21 appointments.

MEDICAL CLINIC

Those who completed the Patient Satisfaction Survey scored their visit at an average of **4.91** out of **5** for patient satisfaction

PARENT AND FAMILY PROGRAMS

The Office of Parent and Family Programs saw an increase of **28%** in calls and emails received

AUBURN STUDENT MEDIA GROUP

The Auburn Student Media Group saw a **16%** increase in page views for 2017-2018 compared to 2016-2017, going from **1,800,000** to **2,091,304**.

CAMPUS DINING

Campus Dining recently opened a renovated **Foy Commons** dining hall, offered students the opportunity to choose from a number of meal plan upgrades and opened a **Panera** in RBD library.

CAMPUS RECREATION

Camp Recreation's annual Welcome Week event, GET REC'D, was held on Aug. 21. **3,386** students attended the event, representing an **11%** increase over 2017. [Click](#) to view the highlight video.

CAREER CENTER

The Career Center hosted an internship and part-time job fair, which showed a **43%** increase in employers present and **16%** increase in students attending in fall 2018 over fall 2017.

COOPERATIVE EDUCATION PROGRAM

The Cooperative Education Program had **124** companies sign up in August to come to Co-Op Interview Day on Oct. 4. This is a **10%** increase from last fall's Co-Op Interview Day.

during the 2017-2018 academic year from the 2016-2017 academic year.

PROPERTY MANAGEMENT

Successfully completed the **renovation** of Foy Commons dining hall, War Eagle Supply C-stores and the re-branding of several Tiger Dining venues across campus.

STUDENT CENTER OPERATIONS

The Student Center bookings for the month of August increased **162%** from 2017 to 2018 (467 in 2017 to 1,225 in 2018)

STUDENT CONDUCT

100% of students who attended meetings with the Office of Student Conduct in August 2018 agreed or strongly agreed that meetings "helped them better understand their rights and responsibilities as a member of the Auburn Community," up from 96% in 2017.

STUDENT COUNSELING & PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES

873 unique students were seen at SCS during the month of August, a **66%** increase over the 526 in August 2017.

STUDENT INVOLVEMENT

Student Involvement used Mobile Check-In, a new feature on AUinvolve. First Year Convocation recorded **4,559** students attending, representing **83%** of all incoming students.

DEVELOPMENT

Development received a **\$7,500** gift to support the Veterans Resource Center.

FIRST YEAR EXPERIENCE

1,536 students enrolled in a First Year Seminar (FYS) course for the Fall 2018 semester (**6.3%** increase from Fall 2017).



AWARDS

Assessment & Strategic Planning: **Dr. Abby Langham**, director of Assessment & Strategic Planning, was elected chair of NASPA-AL, the statewide organization for student affairs professionals.

First Year Experience: This year the CWE Ryan Chandler Award goes to **Charlie Shorey**, and the CWE Parent Counselor of the Year award goes to **James Sadie**.

UNIVERSITY ADVISING

University Advising began the 2018-2019 academic year with a student/advisor ratio of **292 to 1**, down from 599 to 1 in 2013-14.

VETERANS RESOURCE CENTER

1,052 student enrollment certifications were sent to the VA for fall 2018.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sept. 25-26 - Flu Shot Clinic
Medical Clinic

Sept. 27 - UPC Homecoming Concert featuring Jon Pardi and Chris Lane

Sept. 28 - Miss Homecoming Election Day

Sept. 28 - Homecoming Parade & Pep Rally

6 p.m. Downtown and 6:30 p.m. Samford Lawn

Sept. 28-29 - Fall Family Weekend

Sept. 30 - Brunch and Browse

10 a.m. - 2 p.m., Downtown Auburn

Oct. 1 - Beat Bama Food Drive Begins

Oct. 3 - Hey Day

Campus-wide

Oct. 4 - National Depression Screening Day

10 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Student Counseling & Psychological Services: **Dr. Doug Hankes** was named president-elect of the American Psychological Association's Division 47 (Society for Sport, Exercise & Performance Psychology).

Student Involvement: **Brad Smith** was selected as the inaugural SEC SGA Advisor of the Year at the annual SEC Exchange Conference held at the University of Kentucky. Read more about his accomplishment [here](#).

CAMP WAR EAGLE 2018



If you were on campus during the summer months, you may have heard echoes of the Alma Mater or the Auburn fight song drifting over the Plains. No, it wasn't quite football season, yet; it was just the Camp War Eagle counselors instilling their love for Auburn into the incoming freshman class.

Camp War Eagle was held this summer over 10, two-day sessions spanning from late May to mid-July. Jodee Flurry, a senior from Pensacola, Florida, spent two summers as a Camp War

Eagle counselor. "Serving as one of the head camp counselors this summer was one of the most unique and rewarding experiences of my life," she says. "I was able to watch the 59 counselors form an indescribable community with each other, while simultaneously being fully present for each freshman during their transition to college at Auburn.

"The group of counselors consistently pushed each other and also challenged me to be the best person I could be, and they reminded each other that the summer was ultimately about each freshman's experience and not about their own gain."

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