Office of Residence Life



October 2022 Newsletter

Community Connection

As we have concluded our first month of the academic year, The Office of Residence Life hopes everyone has gotten acclimated to their classes and is enjoying their time on campus and within the residence halls!

This newsletter, Community Connection, is part of our service to you, offering information about resources and policies while providing you important information to the community within the Office of Residence Life. You may also find out more about residential living on our website at https://www.kean.edu/reslife

Stay connected this semester, as we have a surplus of inperson events planned! Be sure to check out our October programming calendar for more information!





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reslife@kean.edu
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RESOURCES

FINANCIAL AID

The Office of Financial Aid & Scholarship Services is dedicated to educating students regarding the various aid programs that make attending college affordable for all.

Phone: (908) 737-3190 Email: finaid@kean.edu & KUScholar@kean.edu

TUTORING SERVICES

Tutoring services work to support students who are working on understanding the content of their academic courses. We support over 100 courses! Sessions are available in person and online.

Phone: (908)-737-4691

Email: learningcommons@kean.edu

CAREER SERVICES

At Kean, we believe in helping all students find an internship or job to launch their careers. Our mission is to assist students and alumni in identifying their career goals and securing employment that fulfills them.

CAS Room 201

Phone: (908) 737-0320 Email: career@kean.edu

KEAN WELLNESS CENTER

The Kean Wellness Center provides holistic, integrated health and wellness services for the entire campus community. The Center's interdisciplinary, student-centered and culturally-inclusive approach is designed to educate and empower students, faculty and staff to make informed lifestyle choices. The Wellness Center includes Health Services, The Counseling Center, and Accessibility Services.

Health Services Phone: (908) 737-4880 Email: studenthealthservices@kean.edu Counseling Center Phone: (908) 316-8217

Email: counseling@kean.edu

Accessibility Services Phone: (908) 737-4910

Email: accessibilityservices@kean.edu

For more resources, visit www.kean.edu



- OPEN FROM 7:00 AM TO 12:00 AM MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY
- ON-SITE DIETICIAN: ACCESSIBLE IN PERSON/ZOOM
- D-I-Y STATION: FEATURING OMELETS, SMOOTHIES, WAFFLES, AND MORE!
- ALLERGEN-FREE STATION: FREE OF THE TOP 8 ALLERGENS
- HALAL, VEGAN, & PLANT-BASED PROTEINS

- SUN COFFEE ROASTERS: AVAILABLE DAILY
- COOKED-TO-ORDER GRILL
- SUSHI: AVAILABLE DAILY
- AUTHENTIC GLOBAL CUISINE:
 AVAILABLE DAILY
- WEEKEND BRUNCH: SAT & SUN 10:00 AM 4:00 PM
- UNLIMITED TAKE-OUT: INCLUDED IN UNLIMITED PLAN

POLICY Important Reminders:

- Students are permitted to invite outside guests such as commuter students or family & friends to visit them on campus. All non-residential students are required to submit proof of COVID-19 vaccination at the time of arrival to the front security desk, in addition to a valid state ID with a photo and home address on it (all international guests must present a passport at the time of arrival). Minors will not be permitted into the residence halls.
- Residential students are permitted to host visitors overnight. Each student is allowed a maximum of twenty overnight guests per semester, and all overnight visitors must be approved by all roommates and suitemates. Overnight guest forms and International guest forms can be found in your building's community center and must be submitted forty-eight hours or two business days in advance.

CAMPUS SAFETY -0-9-14

THE OFFICE OF RESIDENCE LIFE IS WORKING WITH KEAN UNIVERSITY POLICE TO PLAN A NUMBER OF COMMUNITY CONVERSATIONS ON THE TOPICS OF CAMPUS SAFETY AND KEAN UNIVERSITY POLICE.



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TO INDICATE
SUGGESTIONS OR
CONCERNS YOU WOULD
LIKE TO SEE ADDRESSED
IN THESE GATHERINGS!

Campus Safety Electrical States A second s

Join the Residence Life staff and Kean University Police Department during your respective hall's campus safety forum!

Feel free to submit any questions or suggestions prior to the meeting!

Freshman Hall

October 10, 2022, 8:00 PM Freshman Hall Learning Center

Bartlett Hall

October 19, 2022, 8:00 PM Bartlett Hall Community Kitchen

Cougar Hall

October 25, 2022, 5:30 PM Cougar Hall Great Room

Burch Hall

November 1, 2022, 8:15 PM Burch Hall Community Kitchen Upperclassman Hall

November 7, 2022, 8:30 PM
Upperclassman Hall Multipurpose Room

Sozio Hall

November 16, 2022, 8:30 PM Sozio Hall Community Kitchen

Rogers Hall

November 29, 2022, 8:15 PM Rogers Hall Community Kitchen

ACCESSIS back!

Freshman Hall Learning Center

Sunday 5PM - 10PM Monday 5PM - 10PM Wednesday 5PM - 10PM

ACCESS Study Nights are back!

Do you need academic help in your courses or are you looking for a quiet place to study? Our tutors are here to provide the tools and assistance needed for you to succeed in your classes!

RESIDENTIAL MAILROOM HOURS

When you receive a package pick-up email from reslifemail@kean.edu, visit **Whiteman Hall** to retrieve your mail.

Monday

9:00 AM - 7:00 PM

Tuesday

2:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Wednesday

9:00 AM - 7:00 PM

Thursday

9:00 AM - 7:00 PM

Friday

9:00 AM - 7:00 PM

Saturday- Sunday

11:00 AM - 4:00 PM



IS NOW OPENI

Open Monday through Sunday From 6:00 AM to 10:00 PM Located in Dougall Hall

LifeFitness



BECOME AN ADVOCATE FOR THE INTERESTS WELFARE OF STUDENTS WITHIN YOUR RESIDENCE HALL!

E-Board Positions

PRESIDENT

MARKETING/ PUBLIC RELATIONS

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SECRETARY

IF INTERESTED IN JOINING HALL COUNCIL, PLEASE CONTACT YOU RESPECTIVE RESIDENCE HALL DIRECTOR!

Real Sylving SPOTLIGHT



ISRAEL IMHOMOH COUGAR HALL

Israel Imhomoh is Cougar Hall's resident spotlight for this month! Israel is a freshman majoring in Computer Science. They are from Newark, New Jersey. Israel often goes to the basketball courts to play basketball with friends and has made a handful of friends within the residence hall thus far!

JOHNATHAN OROZCO FRESHMAN RESIDENCE HALL

Johnathan Orozco is Freshman Residence Hall's resident spotlight for this month! Johnathan is a freshman who is currently undecided but has a lot of interest in music and sports! They are from Pennsylvania and a first-generation American citizen! Johnathan looks forwards to meeting new people on campus!





JULIUS BRINSON BARTLETT HALL

Julius Brinson is Bartlett Hall's resident spotlight for this month! Julius is a freshman majoring in Business (Entrepreneurship). They are from Vauxhall, New Jersey, and plans to start their own business. In their free time, they enjoy gaming!

Real SPOTLIGHT



AMY BELLOWS UPPERCLASSMAN RESIDENCE HALL

Amy Bellows is Upperclassman Residence Hall's resident spotlight for this month! Amy is currently a senior majoring in Graphic Design and is from Metuchen, New Jersey. Currently, they have a passion for service and leadership. Amy is a part of the Platinum Leadership and also serves as the Graphic Design Specialist for Cougar's Byte and the Vice President of Kean Heliel!

JESSLY GONZALEZ SOZIO HALL

Jessly Gonzalez is Sozio Hall's resident spotlight for this month! Jessly's hometown is Fairfield, New Jersey. Jessly is pursuing a major in Psychology. In their free time, they enjoy making playlists as they hold an interest in music! Jessly's one goal is to become a therapist for adolescents!



Real Sylving SPOTLIGHT



ANGEL VASQUEZ BURCH HALL

Angel Vasquez is Burch Hall's resident spotlight for this month! They are currently a junior majoring in Education Mathematics K-12 with Students with Disabilities. Angel's hometown is Perth Amboy, New Jersey, and they have an interest in cooking. One day Angel hopes to teach students that math is not hard!

JONATHAN PIERRE ROGERS HALL

Jonathan Pierre is Rogers Hall's resident spotlight for this month! Jonathan is a senior who is pursuing a major in Communication in Media and Film. Jonathan enjoys acting, dancing, MMA, and wrestling! Jonathan's goal is to graduate and become successful!



2022 october programming

office of residence life

4 tue

liar liar, pants on fire!

7:00PM | freshmen hall residence lounge

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loteria night

6:00PM | upper residence hall MPR hola paleta

8:00PM | upper residence hall MPR

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blast from the past: 80's edition

4:00PM | cougar hall great room

11 tue

bracelets for breast cancer awareness

7:00PM | cougar hall great room

13 thur

power in pink

7:00PM | dougal patio

14 tue

cougar life skills

6:00PM | sozio community center

15 sat

spooky paint n' sip

7:00PM | rogers hall community kitchen

16 sun

tik tok game night

8:00PM | burch hall community center

17 mon

how are you peeling? a guide to healthy snacking

7:00PM | bartlett hall community kitchen

18 tue

know your resources

6:00PM | freshmen residence hall MPR

cougar's cyber shield

7:00PM | rogers hall community kitchen

19 wed

workday roleplay!

7:00PM | upper residence hall MPR

20 thur

guards up

8:00PM | d'angola gym

21 fri

fatal vision

7:00PM | sozio hall community center

 $22 \, \text{sat}$

5 nights at fresh

7:00PM | freshmen residence hall MPR

 $24\,$ mon

paint like the legend

7:00PM | freshmen residence hall MPR

25 tue

monster midterm munchies

7:00PM | rogers hall community kitchen

26 wed

too sauced to be safe

7:00PM | freshmen residence hall MPR

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kart sober, don't get pulled over

7:30PM | cougar hall game room

28 fri

brew yourself best self

7:30PM I sozio kitchen

29 sat

masquerade madness

4:00PM | upper residence hall MPR

 $30 \, \text{sun}$

the witching hour

8:00PM | burch hall community center

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See more campus events, go to COUGAR LINK

