

WHAT'S UP?

Summer 2009

RETURN DATES FOR STUDENTS

Remember that all early returners need to be approved and on a list submitted by a coach, faculty or staff member to be eligible to return early.

Students involved in pre-arranged fall academic, support or athletics will be notified of their arrival dates.

MOVE IN DATES

New Students	August 20
Returning Students	August 23



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Special points of interest:

- Gmail is on its way
- Frees Hall renovations on track
- Meet the new RD and RA Staff members
- New staff in the Student Leadership Office
- What can the Student Leadership Office offer you?

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purchase (enter your size: S, M, L, XL, 2XL in the comment section).

Visit the [bookstore website](#) between August 3 and August 14 to take advantage of this offer.



INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY HARD AT WORK AGAIN THIS SUMMER



Upon returning to campus, you will benefit from:

- Computer upgrade in CM20 (24x7 Lab) including 20 PC's and iMac's
- 10 classroom technology upgrades
- 15 additional wireless access points in classrooms and offices on campus
- New dorm lab printers, and rebuild/upgrade of machines in all dorms
- Frees Hall: Theater system, 3 TV's and Wii in gaming area
- 2 dual boot Mac's/PC's and printer in Business Office
- Additional card access points
- New switches and cabling for wired and wireless access throughout the dorm.
- Office 2007 upgrade for Classrooms and Labs
- Conversion from Microsoft Exchange Mail to Doane Gmail (provided by Google).

Additional information is coming on the Gmail conversion process in August via email. For more information go to: [Gmail Pilot](#)



FACILITIES UPDATE

In an effort to keep the halls cleaner and prevent bugs, we are eliminating the trash rooms in the halls. This means that all students will be responsible for taking their trash directly to the dumpsters. As an overall cost savings measure for the campus, we are

limiting services we feel our student body could be responsible for, as well as, improve our halls' sanitary conditions. This change gives the

Frees Hall renovations continue to be on schedule with the anticipated "Open" date of August 18. Check out the progress at <http://www.doane.edu/construction/frees/>.

custodians in the halls more time to spend on cleaning the common areas and bathrooms. If you have questions or concerns about this policy change, please contact Res-Life by phone at x8111 or by email to DoaneHousing@doane.edu.

SAFETY OFFICE

The Safety Office is ready for our second year. We continue to work on developing a more identifiable office and staff including: new uniforms, updates to our Web site and continued 24/7 availability. The college has approved a budget to allow for additional keyless entry systems and video surveillance on campus. Buildings that received a

keyless entry system in 2008-2009 will receive a secondary access location that should be functional by Fall break. The locations for the secondary sites were based on STUCO recommendations and suggestions from other Doane community members.

The Safety Office provides escorts for cross-campus walks after dark,

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assistance with keyless entry, any safety or security issues on campus and parking. Their office also houses all lost and found items.

Continue to utilize the Safety Office by dialing x8669 from any campus phone.

INTRODUCING THE RESIDENT DIRECTORS

We begin the 2009-10 year with new faces on the Resident Director staff. In addition to the new staff, **Kevin Bollinger**, Residence Life Director, is living on-campus in Smith Hall.

To contact the RD on duty, dial x8666 from any campus phone.

Sean Griffin comes to Doane from the University of Colorado where he served in the Residence Life and Academic Support departments for over four years. He has a B.A. in German, Philosophy and graduated cum laude in International Affairs. Sean will be living in Hansen Hall and will serve as the assistant for the

Hansen Leadership Program.

Viola "Vi" Kerhoulas earned an M.S. in Educational Policy, Foundation & Administration, Higher Education and has a B.A. in Journalism and Mass Communication, Leadership Studies minor. Her experience in Res Life includes time at Portland State University as a Student Activities and Leadership Programs Coordinator and a Graduation Assistant. Vi is married and has a 21-month-old daughter. She and her family will reside in Frees Hall. Vi will be responsible for campus housing.

Katherine "Katie" Randolph joins the RD staff at Doane College

after serving in ResLife and as the Social Event Coordinator at Concordia College in Moorhead, MN. Katie earned a double major B.A. in Psychology and Religion. Katie is also certified in CPR and First Aid. Katie has been named the Greek advisor and will oversee the Quads.

Michaela Stevens joins the Doane staff after a stint the UNL as a Special Events Assistant Coordinator for their Admissions Department. She earned a Bachelor of Journalism degree from UNL she is proficient in Spanish. You will find Michaela's office in Sheldon Hall and she will serve as the advisor for the Peer Judicial Board.

INTRODUCING YOUR RESIDENT ASSISTANTS

Burrage Hall

Joe Bruley
Terianne Colangelo

Colonial Hall

Cassie Fetters

Hansen Hall

Lauren Braun
Tyler Jackman
Ella Wiles

Frees Hall

Nick Kaufman
Carolyn Novak
Tyler Ohlman
Greg Spangler

Sheldon Hall

Kate Cejka
Shari Cumberbatch
DeeJay Silcott

Smith Hall

Anh Nguyen
Trevor Reeh
Justin Sons

Contact your RA with concerns or issues in your hall. Each RA has been trained to assist you with roommate issues, ResLife procedures and general questions about college life.

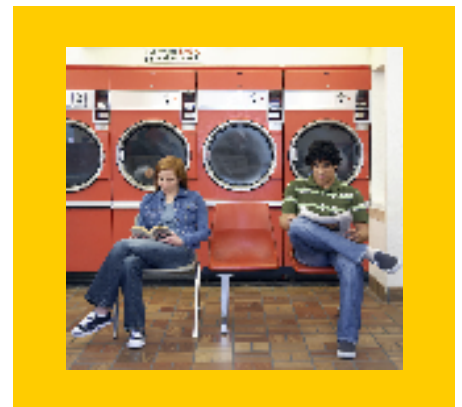
NEW WASHERS AND DRYERS!

As mentioned in the President's letter to students, Doane is installing new high efficiency washer and dryers in the residence halls. The cost of washing a load of laundry has increased from \$1.00 to \$1.25 and the cost of drying increased from \$0.75 to \$1.00.

There is an option to purchase a card to run the laundry machines

to remove the need for quarters. This card is \$3.00 and reloadable by using cash or a debit card. The cards can be purchased from a machine in the Perry Campus Center.

There are still a few machines available in each hall that will accept quarters for those who prefer that option.



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The Philosophy of the Student Leadership Office

The Student Leadership Office believes that the educational experience should be seamless, with activities in and out of the classroom supporting each other to most effectively facilitate student growth and development. Our goal is for our students to be empowered, informed and responsible learners. Guiding our area to achieve our goal are the following tenets:

1. The dignity of every individual is to be respected.
2. Everyone is a leader.
3. To lead is to serve.
4. Accountability applies to every individual and every situation.
5. To be individuals with integrity, our actions must be ethical and our words must be honest.

The Student Leadership Office is the home to many different areas on campus. We are located in the lower level of the Perry Campus Center. For answers to general questions call 402-826-8111 (on-campus 8111) or email studentleadership@doane.edu

Campus Information

Chaplain Services

Counseling Services

Career Development

Enrollment Days Program & Orientation

Greek Life & Activities

Hansen Leadership Program (HLP)

Judicial Issues and Student Conduct

Multicultural Support Services

Residence Life

Safety Office

Service Programs

Student Activities (SAC)

Student Clubs & Organizations

Student Congress (STUCO)

Student Health

STAFFING CHANGES BRINGS NEW FACES



We welcome the following new staff members to the Student Leadership Office.

Carolyn Ersland will begin on August 13 as the Career Development Director. She brings with her over eight years of experience in career services at Northern Illinois University, Northwestern University and Iowa State University. Carolyn's M.S.Ed. is in Counseling and her undergraduate degree is in psychology.

Carolyn replaces Eric Vaughn who has returned to his home state of New York and will be an RD in a first-year student residence hall.

A new position at Doane is that of an Academic Advisor for First-Year students. **Rhonda McKercher-Lake** will begin this role this fall. Her office will be located in the Student Leadership office area. Rhonda has worked for Doane for some time both in the Office of Admission and in the Theatre department.

Amy Schmitt, Student Leadership Office Coordinator, assumes the additional role of Student Activities Council (SAC) advisor. Amy looks forward to working with the students to bring innovative events and activities to campus.

The search for a Hansen Leadership Program Director has begun. Dan VanVechten has accepted a position as an assistant dean at a school in Cincinnati, Ohio. His last day at Doane was Friday, July 24.