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GOOD MORNING LINDENWOOD LIONS!

New Student Orientation App



We are excited to announce the app for Lindenwood University new student orientation 2023, powered by Guidebook, is now available. With this resource, you have access to the most up-to-date

information, as well as networking tools.

Get started [here](#).

Tap "Download the app" to access the guide on your iOS or Android device.

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If you prefer the web version, some content and networking tools may be available online.

Join Lion Pride Tailgate as a Vendor!

We're excited to announce an incredible opportunity for local businesses to be part of the Lion Pride Tailgate experience! Lion Pride Tailgates are a cherished tradition that bring our students, alumni, faculty, and community members together to celebrate our shared spirit and pride.

The vibrancy of our tailgates is enhanced by the presence of local vendors, who bring their unique offerings to our enthusiastic crowd. Our passionate community loves discovering the gems of our local business landscape during these events. This is your chance to showcase your business to a lively audience of approximately 3,000 to 5,000 attendees per game, gaining exposure and networking opportunities in the process.

Why Participate:

Exposure: Showcase your business to a captive and engaged audience.

Networking: Connect with a diverse group of potential customers and collaborators.

Community Involvement: Be an integral part of our cherished tailgate tradition.

Share this incredible opportunity with your local business contacts who might be interested in participating.

To get started:

- Complete the [Lions Pride Tailgate Vendor Registration Form](#), indicating your preferred type of vendor participation.
- For more details, visit the [Official Lion Pride Tailgate Website](#).
- For any questions or clarifications, feel free to reach out to [Sarah Kozy](#).

Together, let's make the Lion Pride Tailgate an event that celebrates our community and local enterprise, all while rallying unwavering support for our Lions!

Back 2 School Success Kit!

Preparing for a new school year can be stressful, but you don't have to navigate this transition alone! CuraLinc has a back-to-school success kit to support you and your family in a variety of ways, including referrals for tutors, college prep tool kits, tip sheets, and more! Click [here](#) to learn more about what CuraLinc has to offer and how to access these free services today!





Employment and Continuing Education Results for '21, '22 Graduates

Lindenwood tracks the employment and continuing education outcomes of alumni with bachelor's degrees through a combination of surveys, enrollment data, and social media data (e.g. LinkedIn). These outcomes, known as First Destination, measure students' employment and enrollment in further education within six months of graduation.

Results for the 2021 and '22 graduating cohort are now posted on the Lindenwood Right to Know page. For students in the cohort who had sufficient data (78% of the total), results were very strong. In fact, 97% of those students had a first destination within six months of graduation. You can find detailed First Destination results [here](#).

Q2 Moments

I was speaking to a student and she was so thankful for **Mitch Schwartzman** and how he helped her as her team's strength and conditioning coach. I have heard student-athletes also comment on what a great job he does. Mitch's powerful impact is helping our student-athletes gain confidence and strength. This student even said, "He helped motivate me and want to better myself every day during the strength and conditioning session. I want to do the same with my career now." Way to go, Mitch!

Madison saved the day! Every year, the OASIS fills welcome bags for our incoming international students. After lugging around two oversized carts full of bottled water and snacks, we went to check out and realized we forgot to get the Tax-Exempt Sam's card. Without hesitation, Madison jumped in her car and met us at Sam's. She even stayed to help us out of the store.

As all of his students know, professor **Jesse Yarger** goes above and beyond to support his behavior analysis students. Recently, he even got up early on a Saturday morning to allow a student to present their final project after technical issues got in the way of class presentations. Although there were alternatives, Yarger made sure the student had the ideal experience given the circumstances. Yarger embodies Q2 values and is truly an asset to our University and the students he supports.

As we prepared to host the Association of Fundraising Professionals conference, due to some last-minute scheduling conflicts, we found ourselves without a university representative to provide the welcome. With only a day to go, Associate Vice President **Mark Valenzuela** stepped up and not only provided a welcome, but set the tone for the day with his inspirational words on the power of fundraising to enhance the student experience and forge new frontiers for an institution. We are fortunate to have you at LU!

Submit Your Q2 Moment

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LEARNING ACADEMY

Ally and Accessibility at Lindenwood University

August 10, 14-17; various times

Online

This 30-minute online tutorial will highlight a Canvas Course using ALLY to create accessible content for your students. You will develop understanding of the seamless guidance ALLY offers to improve the accessibility of your course content, as well as be enrolled in our Accessibility Canvas Course as a student to enhance your knowledge of accessibility at Lindenwood.

[Register](#)

2023 Adjunct Conference

August 12, 8:30 a.m.-2 p.m.

Online

This virtual conference is for adjunct faculty to connect with helpful campus resources that will support teaching.

[Register](#)

2023 Fall Welcome Week

August 14-18, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

Lindenwood's Fall 2023 Welcome Week will run from Monday, August 14, through Friday, August 18. The week kicks off with a Faculty Welcome Meeting in the Evans Dining Room where the guest speaker is Dr. Cynthia Alby, co-author of the book *Learning that Matters*. Throughout the week, faculty are encouraged to attend workshops and information sessions to help make the Fall 2023 semester a success!

[Register](#)

New Cybersecurity Trainings on Skillsoft

As a requirement of the Federal Trade Commission's Safeguards Rule and the Gramm-Leach-Bliley Act (GLBA), Lindenwood University is committed to providing our employees with up-to-date security awareness training. In line with the updated GLBA Safeguards rules (16 CFR 314.4(e)(1)), we must ensure our employees receive training that reflects the risks identified by our risk assessment. To comply with these regulations and Title IV rules, we are providing two security awareness courses via Skillsoft/Percipio (Compliance Short: Cyber Security & Compliance Short: Cyber Security 3), which are required to be completed by Friday, August 18. We anticipate both courses will take an average

of 15 minutes to complete. Be on the lookout for an email from Skillsoft/Percipio detailing the new trainings and how to access them. Contact the [Lindenwood Learning Academy](#) with questions.



SUMMER HOURS

LARC/LIBRARY SERVICES

- Monday - Friday: 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
- Saturday - Sunday: Closed

EVANS COMMONS REC CENTER

- Monday - Friday: 8 a.m.- 6 p.m.
- Saturday - Sunday: Closed

LU BOX OFFICE

- Tuesday - Friday: Noon - 4 p.m.
- Saturday: 10 a.m.-2 p.m.
- Sunday - Monday: Closed

CLOSED FOR SUMMER

- Starbucks
- Boyle Family Gallery

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