

# Welcome Week

VALPARAISO UNIVERSITY  
WELCOME WEEK  
FRESHMEN 2018



# Welcome Week 2018



## Saturday, Aug. 18, 2018

8 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

### Residence Hall Check-In

Check your Valpo email for housing, roommate, and move-in appointment information by early August. Plan to arrive on campus 15 minutes prior to your scheduled appointment time to minimize the time you have to wait in line. Follow @ValpoResLife.

8:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

### Parent Welcome Center

#### Tent South of Alumni Hall

Enjoy refreshments and connect with members of the University Guild, an organization committed to enhancing the student experience. (Rain site: Harre Union, Grand Lounge)

9:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

### Sorority and Fraternity Resource Tables

#### Harre Union, Chapel View Lounge

Officers from the Panhellenic and Interfraternity Councils provide a free cup of coffee while answering questions regarding membership. Follow @ValpoGreekLife.

Noon - 4 p.m.

### Music Information Desk and Locker Checkout

#### Center for the Arts, Locker Area

If you intend to play in music department ensembles, you may check out a locker for a \$10 refundable deposit. Attendants at the table can answer questions about music ensembles, auditions, and lessons. Additional locker checkout times will be held Sunday - Wednesday.

2 p.m.

### CIRP First-Year Survey Session

#### Chapel of the Resurrection

**This session is required.** Freshman students, come to the Chapel of the Resurrection to share your experiences via this survey. Parents are welcome to use this time to relax on their own - visit the Bookstore or take a break in this busy day.

EVENT  
REQUIRED

3:30 p.m.

### Commuter Student Q&A

#### Harre Union, Brown & Gold Room

Commuting students are encouraged to gather to get tips from returning commuters. The group will check out the commuter lounge and go to the welcome picnic together after this event.

4 p.m.

### Welcome Sunday Choir Rehearsal

#### Chapel of the Resurrection, West Gallery

All new students are invited to be part of the volunteer choir of students, faculty, and staff that sings at the 10 a.m. worship service tomorrow morning. Rehearsal will last one hour.

## Saturday, Aug. 18, 2018, *continued*

4:30 p.m.

### Time to part ways

Participating in Welcome Week events is important for students to connect quickly with new friends. Family who would like to meet their student for morning worship should arrange a time to meet tomorrow in the Chapel Lobby. Students have required Welcome Week activities beginning at 12:30 p.m. tomorrow. Thank you for your hard work and support that made this day possible!

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5:30 p.m.

### Welcome Picnic

#### Harre Union, West Lawn

Welcome to lifelong membership in the Valpo family! Residential students, meet on your residence hall floor to be escorted by your Resident Assistant (RA). Commuter students, meet in the Commuter Lounge (Harre Union, 2nd Floor) to be escorted by Orientation Assistants.

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7:30 p.m.

### First-Year Residence Hall Floor Meetings

**This event is required for on-campus first-year residents.** Your RA will share details.

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EVENT  
REQUIRED

7:30 p.m.

### Commuter Student Social

#### Harre Union, Commuter Lounge

Members of the Commuter Student Organization (CSO) host this event to help new commuters get to know one another. Meet in the commuter lounge for games, take a quick trip to Dairy Queen for a treat, and stick around campus to go to the late-night events together. Follow @ValpoCSO.

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8:15 p.m.

### First-Year Residence Hall Socials

#### Residence Hall, 1st Floor Lounges

Residential Life staff help you meet others who live in your building. Then, you can go as a group to late-night events.

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9 p.m.

### UPClub Comedy Show

#### Harre Union, Ballrooms

Enjoy Valpo's very own comedy club, UPClub, with a night full of laughs and free food sponsored by University Programming Council (UPC). Tonight's show features Tom Thakkar and world famous comedian juggler Ivan Pecel. Follow @ValpoUPC.

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11 p.m. - 2 a.m.

### Dance Party

#### Harre Union, Ballrooms

All students are invited to this mini Dance Marathon! Meet some of Valpo's Miracle Kids from Lurie Children's Hospital, learn the Morale Dance, and end the night with a sweet treat. Come dance for those who can't! Follow @ValpoDM.

## Sunday, Aug. 19, 2018

8 a.m. and 11 a.m.

### Catholic Mass at St. Teresa of Avila Catholic Student Center

Meet other Valpo students 15 minutes before mass outside Lankenau Hall to walk over to "St. T's" together. Follow @StTsValpo.

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9:20 a.m.

### Welcome Gathering

#### Chapel of the Resurrection

Meet the Peer Ministers in residence hall lobbies to enjoy refreshments and attend worship together; hosted by the Chapel staff. Follow @ValpoChapel.

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10 a.m.

### Worship

#### Chapel of the Resurrection

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11:15 a.m.

### Lunch

Join your classmates for lunch at Founders Table or the Campus Café. Don't forget your OneCard!

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Noon

### Commuter Student Gathering

#### Harre Union, Commuter Lounge

Gather with other commuting students to attend today's Welcome Week events as a group.

## Sunday, Aug. 19, 2018, *continued*

12:30–2:45 p.m.

### Community Expectations Round Robin Sessions

EVENT  
REQUIRED

**This session is required. Bring your OneCard to swipe in for attendance.** Join your group to learn about what is expected of you now that you belong to the Valpo community. Sessions are continued Monday morning at 9:30 a.m.

**Group 1** = Commuters; Transfer Students; Brandt Floor 3; Lankenau Floor 3;

**Group 2** = Alumni Floors 1, 2, 4, & 5; Brandt Floor 5; Lankenau Floors 4 & 5;

**Group 3** = Alumni Floor 3; Brandt Floors 1, 2, & 4; Lankenau Floors 1 & 2.

	#OneValpo Harre Union, Ballroom C	Limits Center for the Arts, University Theatre	Party House Neils Science Center, Room 234
12:30 p.m.	Group 1	Group 2	Group 3
1:45 p.m.	Group 2	Group 3	Group 1

### #OneValpo

#### Harre Union, Ballroom C

**This session is required. Bring your OneCard to swipe in for attendance.** Valpo is committed to creating a welcoming campus, and you play a role in making this possible. Participate in an interactive discussion while learning how you help create an inclusive environment. Attend with your residence hall floor or commuter group. Sponsored by Multicultural Programs. Follow @Valpo\_OMP.

### Limits

#### Center for the Arts, University Theatre

**This session is required. Bring your OneCard to swipe in for attendance.** Creating a safe, healthy environment for relationships to thrive is the responsibility of everyone in the Valpo community. Learn about the expectations for bystander intervention and the resources on campus for education, awareness, and advocacy regarding healthy relationships, sexual misconduct, and dating violence. Attend with your residence hall floor or commuter group. Sponsored by the Sexual Assault Awareness & Facilitative Education (SAAFE) office. Follow @ValpoSaafe.

### Party House

#### Neils Science Center, Room 234

**This session is required. Bring your OneCard to swipe in for attendance.** A panel of student leaders answer questions and discuss how to have a happy and healthy social life on campus. Attend with your residence hall floor or commuter group. Sponsored by the Alcohol and Drug Education office.

2:45–6:30 p.m.

### Relax, Get Settled, Enjoy the Afternoon

Settle into your room, play volleyball at the Brandt Hall sand court (weather permitting), nap, or explore campus.

3:30 p.m.

### Christ College Freshman Class Meeting

#### Mueller Hall, Refectory

EVENT  
REQUIRED

**This session is required for all Christ College students.** The Christ College first-year class will gather for the first time! Christ College deans officially welcome the class and provide important information and materials for the semester ahead. Refreshments will be provided.

4:30–6:30 p.m.

### Sundae Funday With The OMP

#### Harre Union, Gandhi-King Center

Join the Office of Multicultural Programs (OMP) for ice cream sundaes, become familiar with the OMP space, and build relationships with returning students. Stop by and hang out!

6:30–7:30 p.m.

### Student Alumni Association BBQ

#### Harre Union, West Lawn

Free food and lots of Valpo spirit! (Rain site: Founders Table)

7–10 p.m.

### Rock the ARC

#### Athletics-Recreation Center

V-A-L-P-O! Let's Go Valpo! Come dressed to play or swim. Do Zumba, play in football and basketball tournaments, swim, climb the rock wall, and play laser tag, all with a chance to win Valpo-themed prizes. Sponsored by Recreational Sports and University Programming Council (UPC). Follow @ValpoRecSports and @ValpoUPC.

9 p.m.

### Catholic Mass and Student Social

#### St. Teresa of Avila Catholic Student Center

Meet other Valpo students at 8:45 p.m. outside Lankenau Hall to walk over to "St. T's" together.

10 p.m.

### Candlelight Evening Prayer

#### Chapel of the Resurrection

Close the day and reflect on the week ahead through moving music sung by candlelight. Meet others in your residence hall lobby at 9:45 p.m. to walk to Candlelight together or go directly to the Chapel.

11:30 p.m. – 2 a.m.

### Sorority and Fraternity Events

#### Various Locations

Valpo's recognized sororities and fraternities co-host social events open to all new students. Follow @ValpoGreekLife.

# Monday, Aug. 20, 2018

9:15 a.m.

## Commuter Student Gathering Harre Union, Commuter Lounge

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#OneValpo Harre Union, Ballroom C	Limits Center for the Arts, University Theatre	Party House Neils Science Center, Room 234
Group 3	Group 1	Group 2

10:30 a.m. - noon

## Academic Preparation Sessions

EVENT  
REQUIRED

**This session is required. Bring your OneCard to swipe in for attendance.** Learn more about the Honor System and IT tips and tools not covered during FOCUS.

Group	Honor Code Neils 234	The IT Inside Scoop Harre Union, Ballroom C
Group 1	11:35 a.m. - noon	11-11:30 a.m.
Group 2	10:30-10:55 a.m.	11:30 a.m. - noon
Group 3	11:05-11:30 a.m.	10:30-11 a.m.

### Honor Code

#### Neils Science Center, Room 234

**This session is required. Bring your OneCard to swipe in for attendance.** "I have neither given or received, nor have I tolerated others' use of unauthorized aid." You are now a part of Valpo's Honor System, a more-than-70-year-old tradition at Valpo. Learn about the Honor System: what it is, why we have it, how it is used, and what it means for the Valpo community. Attend with your residence hall floor or commuter group. Sponsored by the Provost's office.

### The IT Inside Scoop

#### Harre Union, Ballroom C

**This session is required. Bring your OneCard to swipe in for attendance.** My classes have changed location? How do I know where to go? My professor says it's "on Blackboard." What is that? How and where can I print? Find out the answers to these questions and more insider tips from Information Technology staff. Follow @ITatValpo.

1 p.m.

## Meet Your College Meetings

EVENT  
REQUIRED

**This is a required event.** What are your college's expectations? Who are the other students in your major? Who are the faculty you'll have in class? This session is an introduction to these areas and a chance to do a final check on your class schedule: log into datavu.valpo.edu - Students Menu - Class Schedule under Academic Profile.

College of Arts and Sciences . . . . . Chapel of the Resurrection

College of Business . . . . . Urschel 202

College of Engineering and Pre-Engineering . . . . . Neils 234

College of Nursing and Health Professions . . . . . LeBien 108

3-4 p.m.

## Drop/Add Session

### Harre Union, Ballrooms

New students hoping to make changes to their class schedules should attend this session. Follow @ValpoRegistrar.

3-5:30 p.m.

## Find Your Classrooms

### Campus Academic Buildings

Walk around campus to locate your classrooms for tomorrow and Wednesday. Classroom locations are listed on your official class schedule (log into datavu.valpo.edu - Students Menu - Class Schedule).

4-6 p.m.

## Student Senate Ice Cream Social

### Harre Union, Founders Table Patio

Relax on the patio with free ice cream! Enjoy music and meet your student senators. Sponsored by Student Senate (Rain site: Harre Union, Hearth Room). Follow @ValpoStudentSenate.

4:45 p.m.

## Music Picnic

### Meet in the Center for the Arts Lobby

All students participating in music at Valpo are welcome to enjoy a cookout. Meet in the Center for the Arts lobby to walk to the Phi Mu Alpha house (810 Brown St.) together. Hosted by Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia Fraternity and Sigma Alpha Iota International Music Fraternity for Women. Follow @ValpoMusic.

7 p.m.

## First-Year Residence Hall Floor Meetings

EVENT  
REQUIRED

**This event is required for on-campus residents.** Develop community expectations and more; your RA will share details.

Remember to check your class schedule on DataVU tonight as class locations may have changed.



## Tuesday, Aug. 21, 2018

8 a.m.

**Classes Begin**

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10 a.m.

**Morning Prayer**

**Chapel of the Resurrection**

Morning Prayer is 20 minutes long every Monday–Friday classes are in session. It is a different worship style each day. You're encouraged to try out each day to see which style of worship best fits you.

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3 p.m.

**Procession for Opening Convocation**

**Harre Union**

**This event is required.** Wear your Valpo apparel! All new students line up in Harre Union to process into Opening Convocation as a class; if you are coming from class, jump in the back of the line as it goes into the Chapel.

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EVENT  
REQUIRED

3:30 p.m.

**Opening Convocation**

**Chapel of the Resurrection**

**This event is required.** Valparaiso University officially kicks off a new academic year with this traditional ceremony. Classes are suspended 3:20–4:30 p.m. for this event.

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EVENT  
REQUIRED

**Taste of Valpo**

**Harre Union, West Lawn**

Enjoy free samples from local restaurants at this traditional event for all students, faculty, and staff immediately following Opening Convocation.

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6:30 p.m.

**Theatre Department Ice Cream Social**

**Center for the Arts, University Theatre**

Learn more about the opportunities in Valpo Theatre: audition information, backstage crew, and employment in the scene and costume shops. Valpo Theatre is open to all students, not just theatre majors! Follow @ValpoTheatre.

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6:30–8 p.m.

**Rec Sports #DoWellBeWellLiveWell**

**Guild-Memorial, Sand Volleyball Courts**

Recreational Sports hosts a fun-filled evening of sand volleyball, bags/cornhole, spikeball, and more! The volleyball courts are located down the hill, toward Highway 30, from Guild-Memorial Hall. Follow @ValpoRecSports. (Canceled if raining)

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8–9 p.m.

**ARC and Fitness Center Orientation**

**Meet at the Fitness Center**

Student supervisors are available to help students find their way around both facilities and answer questions about programs. Recreational schedules will be available.

## Wednesday, Aug. 22, 2018

10 a.m.

**Morning Prayer**

**Chapel of the Resurrection**

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5–7 p.m.

**Canvas Night**

**Christopher Center, Community Room**

Join us for a University Programming Council (UPC) classic – Canvas Night! We provide the paint, canvas, and instructor. You show your talent!

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5–7 p.m.

**Get Connected Happy Hour**

**Harre Union, Gandhi-King Center**

Enjoy connections, conversation, and food while meeting students from Alliance LGBTQA+, Asian American Pacific Islander Coalition (AAPIC), Black Student Organization (BSO), and Latinos in Valparaiso for Excellence (LIVE), the student organizations housed in Multicultural Programs (OMP).

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5 p.m.

**Transfer Student Dinner**

**Harre Union, Hearth Room**

All transfer students and friends are invited to get dinner at Founders Table and eat together. Anyone who wants to attend Meet the Greeks will go as a group after dinner.

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6–7:30 p.m.

**Meet the Greeks**

**Harre Union, Ballrooms**

Learn about the activities and events of sororities and fraternities, including academics, community service, philanthropy, leadership opportunities, and more, while meeting current members.

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7:30 p.m.

**Ballroom Dance Social**

**Harre Union, Ballrooms**

Valparaiso University Ballroom team invites you to our free weekly social dance lessons to learn how to ballroom dance! No partner or experience necessary. Come check us out!

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8:30–10 p.m.

**Campus Ministries Kickoff**

**Chapel of the Resurrection, Helge Center**

Come for food, fun, and fellowship and get to know all the different campus ministries! Meet people from different service, music, and Bible study groups.

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10 p.m.

**Celebrate!**

**Chapel of the Resurrection**

Celebrate! is a worship experience that combines contemporary worship and praise with Holy Communion in a creative, laid-back style. Meet others in residence hall lobbies at 9:45 p.m. to walk to Celebrate! or go to the Chapel. Follow @ValpoCelebrate.

## Thursday, Aug. 23, 2018

**10 a.m.**  
**Morning Prayer**  
**Chapel of the Resurrection**

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**10 a.m. – 1 p.m.**  
**Part-Time Jobs Fair**  
**Harre Union, Ballrooms**  
Any student looking for a part-time job is encouraged to attend. Employers offering both on- and off-campus part-time jobs will be recruiting. Come and go as you are able. Follow @ValpoCareers.

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**4, 5, and 6 p.m.**  
**Ride the V-Line**  
**Meet at the Harre Union V-Line Bus Stop**  
Valpo students can ride the City of Valparaiso's V-Line bus system for FREE with your OneCard. Meet members of Valpo's Social Action Leadership Team (SALT) to learn how to ride the V-Line to Walmart, Target, the movie theater, and more. The bus stop is on the north side of Harre Union near the parking lots. Buses leave on the hour at 4, 5, and 6 p.m.

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**7 p.m.**  
**Meet the Media**  
**Christopher Center, Community Room**  
Learn how to join the Torch newspaper, WVUR radio station, VUTV, Beacon yearbook, and the Lighter literary magazine; open to all majors and years. The event moves to Schnabel Hall at 8 p.m. for a tour of the media offices and studios.

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**8 p.m.**  
**Movie Night**  
**Harre Union, West Lawn**  
Take a Thursday night breather to enjoy a summer blockbuster movie with free popcorn, snow cones, and cotton candy with University Programming Council (UPC). Bring your own blanket or lawn chair. (Rain site: Harre Union, Ballrooms)

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**10 p.m.**  
**Glow-In-The-Dark Capture The Flag**  
**Harre Union, West Lawn**  
Play a game of capture the flag with a unique twist. Sponsored by Valparaiso International Student Association (VISA). Follow @Visa\_Valparaiso.

## Friday, Aug. 24, 2018

**10 a.m.**  
**Morning Prayer**  
**Chapel of the Resurrection**

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**4–6 p.m.**  
**Student Activities Fair**  
**Harre Union, West Lawn**  
Explore and meet Valpo's 100+ student organizations! Come and go as you are able. Put yourself on organizations' email lists at the fair to find out what's happening around campus throughout the year. (Rain site: Harre Union, 2nd Floor)

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**4:30–6 p.m.**  
**Tie-Dyeing with VISA**  
**Harre Union, West Lawn**  
Tie-dye a shirt in conjunction with the Student Activities Fair and meet members of the Valparaiso International Student Association (VISA). (Canceled if raining)

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**5 p.m.**  
**Men's Soccer vs. IUPUI**  
**Brown Field**  
Throw on your Valpo gear and cheer on men's soccer in their home opener! Athletic events are free with your OneCard. Enjoy free food and fun at halftime and between the men's and women's games. If you aren't sure how to get to Brown Field, follow the parade of Crusader student-athletes from the Student Activities Fair. Follow @ValpoAthletics.

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**6 p.m.**  
**Sorority House Tours – Meet at the Union Welcome Desk**  
Curious about Valpo's sororities? Visit the six sorority houses while learning about the academic, social, and philanthropic aspects of sorority life at Valpo. Tours leave from the Union Welcome Desk.

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**7:30 p.m.**  
**Women's Soccer vs. University of Toledo**  
**Brown Field**  
Throw on your Valpo gear and cheer on women's soccer in their home opener! Get in free with your OneCard. Enjoy free food and fun before the game and at halftime.

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**8–11 p.m.**  
**Valpo After Dark**  
**Harre Union, West Lawn**  
Celebrate the end of your first week of classes! Join University Programming Council (UPC) as we jump around on inflatables, eat free food, and rock out to live music by The Burgeoning! (Rain site: Harre Union, Ballrooms)

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**11:30 p.m. – 2 a.m.**  
**Sorority and Fraternity Events**  
**Various Locations**  
Valpo's recognized sororities and fraternities co-host social events open to all new students. Follow @ValpoGreekLife for details.

## Saturday, Aug. 25, 2018

8:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.

### Welcome Week Service Project Indiana Dunes

Spend your morning in service at the Indiana Dunes Lakeshore. Transportation and lunch provided. Register by going to [valpo.edu/volunteer](http://valpo.edu/volunteer) to complete and submit the online form. Space is limited, so sign up early! Sponsored by Volunteer Programs. (Postponed if raining)

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10 a.m. – 7 p.m.

### Explore Downtown Valparaiso Central Park Plaza, 70 Lafayette St.

Shop the farmer's market (until 2 p.m.) and stores, try out restaurants, enjoy the splash pad at the park, and more. Come and go as you are able.

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### Getting Around

If you're looking for a way to get around off campus beyond walking or ride-sharing:

- Ride the V-Line for free with your Valpo ID; V-Line buses stop at Harre Union North Entrance. The Red and Brown lines stop in downtown Valparaiso;
  - Use the Zagster app to rent a bike through the Valpo Velocity bike-sharing program;
  - Rent a Zipcar (Zipcar app or [zipcar.com](http://zipcar.com)) and pick up in Lot 14 by Harre Union.
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3–6 p.m.

### Fall Block Party Outside Alumni and Lankenau Halls

Inflatables, activities, music, food, and more; join Residential Life in celebrating the start of a new year!

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8 p.m.

### Bingo Night: College Survival Edition Harre Union, Ballrooms

Get ready to win college survival prizes! This isn't your Grandma's bingo. Sponsored by UPC.

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10:30 p.m. – 1 a.m.

### Sorority and Fraternity Events Various Locations

Valpo's recognized sororities and fraternities co-host social events open to all new students. Follow @ValpoGreekLife.

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## Sunday, Aug. 26, 2018

10 a.m.

### Sunday Morning Worship Chapel of the Resurrection

1 p.m.

### Student Leadership Conference Harre Union, Ballrooms and Meeting Rooms

If you're interested in getting involved on campus, you're encouraged to participate in the "Emerging

and Future Student Leaders" track of this conference. Email [leadership@valpo.edu](mailto:leadership@valpo.edu) with your name and cell phone number to participate. Sponsored by Leadership Programs.

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10 p.m.

### Candlelight Evening Prayer Chapel of the Resurrection

Close the day, reflect on the week ahead, connect with friends through moving music sung by candlelight.

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## Monday, Aug. 27, 2018

10 a.m.

### Morning Prayer Continues All Weekdays Chapel of the Resurrection

9:30 p.m.

### Social Action Leadership Team (SALT) Meeting Chapel of the Resurrection, Helge Center

Join the Social Action Leadership Team (SALT) for the first meeting of the year. This Spirit-led social justice ministry of the Chapel of the Resurrection has yearly activities that include service projects, awareness and fundraising for a World Relief Campaign, and a whole lot of fun! Follow @ValpoSalt.

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## Tuesday, Aug. 28, 2018

8 p.m.

### Talent Tuesday Harre Union, Campus Café

Valpo's got talent! It's not your next TV show. It's a weekly showcase of student talent on campus. Stop by every Tuesday classes are in session for bands, slam poetry, solo performers, and more! Follow @Harre.Union.

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## Wednesday, Aug. 29, 2018

10:30 a.m. – 3 p.m.

### Study Abroad Fair Christopher Center, Community Room

Valpo offers numerous opportunities to earn credit toward your degree from overseas or elsewhere in the United States – from England, to Costa Rica, to China, and more! There are also a lot of scholarships available to make studying abroad affordable. Stop by to learn about all the options. Follow @Valpo\_Abroad.

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8 p.m.

### Politics & Pizza Harre Union, Campus Café

Join the College Democrats and College Republicans student organizations for a politics-themed quiz game with pizza for all and prizes for some!



## Thursday, Aug. 30, 2018

8 p.m.

**Trivia Night: First Edition**

**Harre Union, Campus Café**

Did you think the first test of your knowledge wouldn't happen for a while? Thursdays are trivia nights! Each round is a different category, so show us what you know! Bring friends to compete as a team or come on your own and we'll put teams together for you.

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## Friday, Aug. 31, 2018

5 p.m.

**Fall Sports Kickoff Tailgate**

**Brown Field**

Throw on your Valpo gear and tailgate at Brown Field before women's soccer takes on Bowling Green (game time 7:30 p.m.). There will be free food, inflatables, an obstacle course, and a pep rally to learn Valpo's chants and cheers! Sponsored by Valpo Athletics, Recreational Sports, Counseling Center, and UPC.

8 p.m.

**Tournament Night**

**Harre Union, "The Rack" Games Room**

Friday nights are tourney nights at The Rack. Several tournaments happen at once – pool, shuffleboard, ping pong, foosball – so get there early to sign up! When you get to the Union, follow the lights and smell of popcorn to find The Rack.

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## Other Upcoming Events

Sept. 1

**Sigma Pi Amazing Day Bags Tournament**

1-5 p.m.

**Sigma Pi 805 Brown St.**

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Sept. 1

**Railcats Minor League Baseball Game**

3 p.m.

**Harre Union, North Entrance**

Tickets are \$10 each and available starting move-in day at the Union Welcome Desk. Roundtrip bus transportation; game admission; and hot dog, chips, and beverage are included! Sponsored by UPC.

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Sept. 3

**Classes are held on Labor Day as regularly scheduled.**

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Sept. 7

**Concert by Music Student Enterprise Association**

6:30 p.m.

**Harre Union, West Lawn**

Celebrate all the great student philanthropy on campus and enjoy live music by Coastal Club, an alternative-pop band from Cincinnati. (Rain site: Neils Science Center, Room 234)

## Other Upcoming Events, *continued*

Sept. 8

**40th Annual Popcorn Festival, All Day**

**Downtown Valparaiso**

Popcorn Panic run/walk, parade, food, crafts, and live music; see [valparaisoevents.com](http://valparaisoevents.com) for details.

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Sept. 8

**Gamma Phi Beta "Moonball" Volleyball Tournament**

Noon

**Guild-Memorial, Sand Courts**

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Sept. 8

**Kayak Trip at Galien River**

Follow @ValpoUPC for sign-up details.

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Sept. 10

**Pi Kappa Alpha Firefighter Challenge**

4 p.m.

**Harre Union, West Lawn**

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Sept. 13

**Game Show Night**

8 p.m.

**Harre Union, Campus Café**

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Sept. 15

**Day of Caring Service Event**

8:30 a.m. – 1 p.m.

See [volunteer.valpo.edu](http://volunteer.valpo.edu) for details.

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Sept. 15

**UPC Club Comedy**

9 p.m.

**Harre Union, Ballroom C**

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Sept. 16

**10th Annual World Cultural Festival**

Noon – 5 p.m.

**Downtown Valparaiso, Central Park**

Cultural music, dance, crafts, and ethnic cuisine. Follow @valpovic for details.

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### Your New Address

Student Mail Services handles mail and packages through mail units assigned to all students living on campus. Students retain the same mail unit as long as they reside anywhere on campus. Unit numbers and combinations are available for students at DataVU under "My Profile."

## Fine Arts Auditions

### Music Auditions

You don't need to be a music major to sing or play! Anyone interested in participating in music can sign up for a time at the audition locations listed below. Questions? Stop by the Music Information Desk, Saturday, Aug. 18, noon – 4 p.m. in the Center for the Arts or email [music@valpo.edu](mailto:music@valpo.edu).

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### All Choral Ensembles

All auditions held in Center for the Arts 1519  
Sunday, Aug. 19, 3-9 p.m.  
Monday, Aug. 20, 4-6:30 p.m.

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### All Concert Bands

All auditions held in Center for the Arts 1529  
Monday, Aug. 20, 3-7 p.m.  
Tuesday, Aug. 21, noon – 3 p.m., 5 – 9 p.m.  
Wednesday, Aug. 22, noon – 7 p.m.

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### Orchestra

All auditions held in Center for the Arts 1518 or Duesenberg Recital Hall

All instruments  
Sunday, Aug. 19, 3-8 p.m.

Strings only  
Monday, Aug. 20, 5-7 p.m.

Woodwinds, Brass, Percussion only  
Tuesday, Aug. 21, 5-7 p.m.

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### Jazz Band

Both an individual and group audition are required.

Individual auditions – Center for the Arts 2516.  
Monday, Aug. 20, noon – 7:30 p.m.  
Tuesday, Aug. 21, noon – 3 p.m., 5-9 p.m.  
Wednesday, Aug. 22, noon – 5 p.m.  
Thursday, Aug. 23, 10:30 a.m. – 2 p.m.

Group audition – Center for the Arts 1518  
Thursday, Aug. 23, 3:30-5 p.m.

### Theatre Auditions

If you are interested in auditioning for one of the fall semester theatre productions, stop by and sign up for an audition time at the front desk of the Center for the Arts during any of these times:

Sunday, Aug. 19, 1-3 p.m.;  
Monday, Aug. 20, 9 a.m. – 9 p.m.;  
Tuesday, Aug. 21, 9 a.m. – 9 p.m.; or  
Wednesday, Aug. 22, 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Fall productions include "Dream of the Burning Boy," by David West Read, and "Lady Windermere's Fan," by Oscar Wilde.

Auditions for fall productions are Wednesday, Aug. 22, 6-10 p.m. in the Center for the Arts, University Theatre.

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### Dance Ensemble Auditions

The Dance Ensemble is open to all Valpo students, with one production each year in February. If you want to audition for Dance Ensemble, be at Kroencke Hall dance studio on Tuesday, Aug. 28, at 7 p.m. and plan to stay until 10 p.m. Questions? Email theatre professor Ann Kessler ([ann.kessler@valpo.edu](mailto:ann.kessler@valpo.edu)).

## Move-in Weekend Office Hours

### Saturday, Aug. 18

OneCard, Parking and Transportation Office  
9 a.m. – 3 p.m.  
Harre Union, Suite 244

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Residential Life  
8 a.m. – 2 p.m.  
Harre Union, Suite 250

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Student Mail Services  
9 a.m. – 4 p.m.  
Harre Union, 1st Floor

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University Health Services  
9 a.m. – 3 p.m.  
Health Center, Promenade East Building  
Accepting allergy serum and answering questions only. No patient care is available today.

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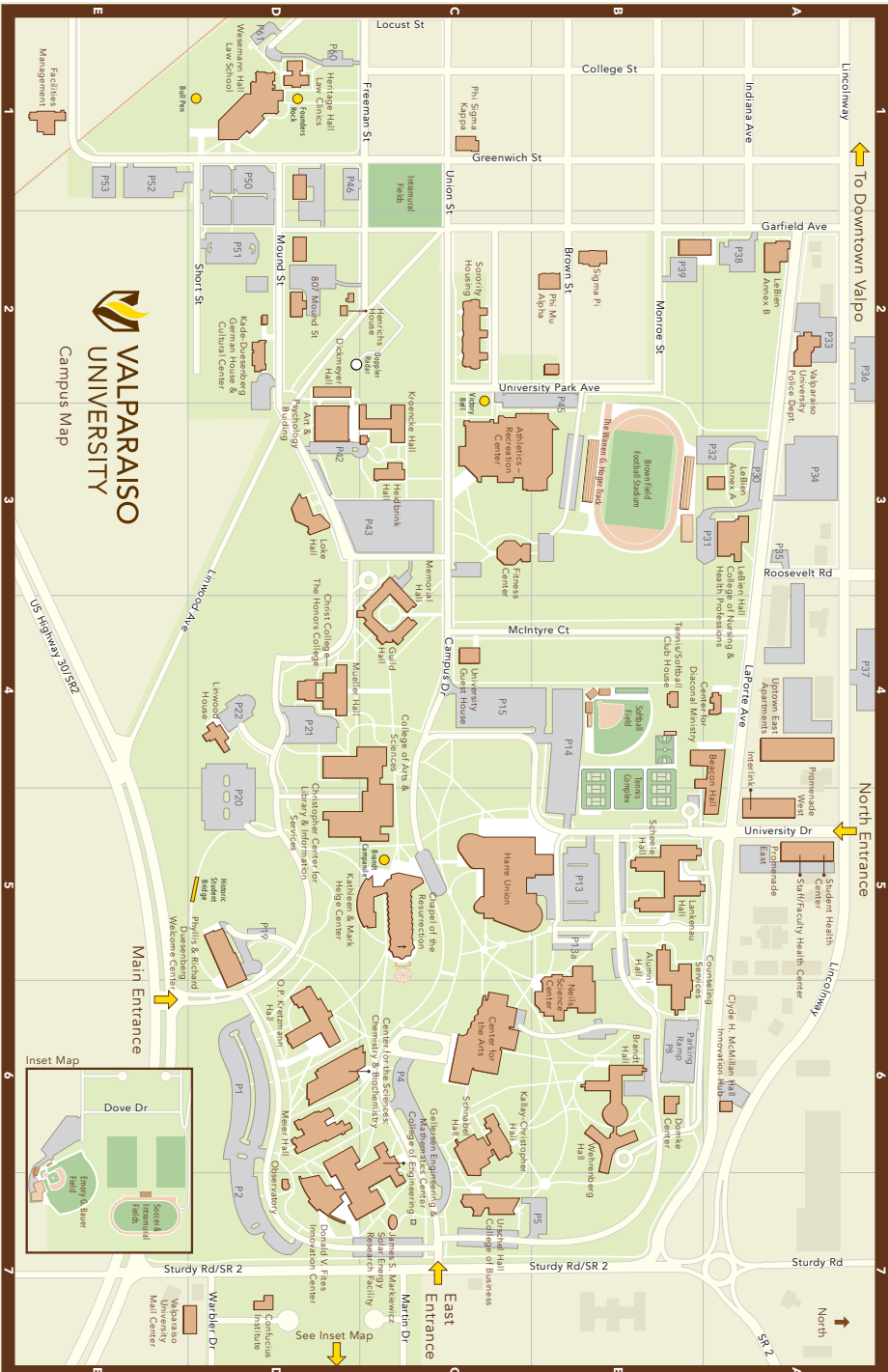
University Book Store  
9 a.m. – 7 p.m.  
Harre Union, 1st Floor

### Sunday, Aug. 19

OneCard, Parking and Transportation Office  
Noon – 4 p.m.  
Harre Union, Suite 244

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University Book Store  
9 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.  
Harre Union, 1st Floor



Campus Map



Main Entrance

East Entrance

To Downtown Valpo

North Entrance



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