2019 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Before you arrive: Please register for Family Weekend so we can best prepare for your arrival. Everyone who registers will be entered into drawings for a night’s stay at a local hotel of your choice, local coffee shop gift cards, and Gustavus gear from the Book Mark.

See the Campus Center front desk to pick up a Saint Peter community guide for everything you need to know about local shops, restaurants, and involvement opportunities.

Register online: bit.ly/GACFW

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 4

All Day
CLASS VISITS
Families are invited to attend classes throughout the day and experience firsthand the academic programs with your student. (Your student should ask their professor for permission for you to attend class.)

8 p.m.
WEEKEND MOVIE: Toy Story 4
Olin Hall, 103
Major complications ensue when Bonnie turns a spork into a toy, but he sees himself as an eating utensil instead. Woody, Buzz, and company set out into the world to find him, reunite with Bonnie, and resolve his existential crisis.

8 p.m.
LineUs Improv Comedy Show
Cec Eckhoff Alumni Hall
Join Gustavus's student improv comedy troupe for an hour of fun and games. (This show may not be appropriate for all audiences.)

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5

10 a.m.
WORKSHOPS/PANELS
History of Gustavus | Heritage Room, Jackson Campus Center
Bring your Gustavus family to meet our Gustavus family as we share a brief background of our rich history. This workshop will include an overview of life on the hill before and after the 1998 tornado.

FUTURE GUSTIE IN YOUR FAMILY?
Encourage your high school student to stop by the admission office on Saturday between 10 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. during Family Weekend to receive information about all Gustavus has to offer!

Questions? Contact the Campus Activities Office at 507-933-7598 or jwatter2@gustavus.edu.
Connect to the Saint Peter Community
St. Peter Room, Jackson Campus Center
Gustavus prides Service as one of its core values. Director of the Community Engagement Center Amy Pehrson will discuss getting involved in the many service opportunities in Saint Peter and the powerful impact it has on students and the surrounding community.

Climate Changed: Facing our Future
President’s Dining Room, Jackson Campus Center
Philosophy professor, Nobel Conference Director, and Gustie alum Lisa Heldke ’82 will overview the historic Nobel Conference hosted every year on campus. She’ll provide history and background, the purpose and vision of the conference, and recap the highlights of the 2019 topic, Climate Changed: Facing our Future.

City Tour | Meet at Three Flags (will repeat at 11 a.m.)
Join us for a brief tour of all that the city of Saint Peter has to offer. Transit seating is limited to the first 20 people.

10 a.m.–11 a.m.
ADMISSION GUSTIE DAY
Three Crowns Room, Jackson Campus Center
If you’re a high school student with an older sibling at Gustavus, this is your chance to see what life is like as a Gustie! Join us for a presentation, panel, tour, and complimentary lunch. Check-in begins at 9:45 a.m. Pre-registration is encouraged: https://apply.gustavus.edu/register/GustieDayOct5

11 a.m.–1 p.m.
ARBORETUM FALL FESTIVAL
Linnaeus Arboretum
Join us for a fun-filled day of outdoor activities in the Linnaeus Arboretum. Explore the arboretum grounds (with self-guided tour brochures available), participate in the treasure hunt, enjoy the entertainment provided by Gusties. There will be games, hayrides, face painting, crafts, pottery, alpacas (and alpaca products). Food concessions will be available.

11 a.m.–1 p.m.
LUNCH BREAK AND GUS THE MASCOT PHOTOBOOTH
Evelyn Young Dining Room, Jackson Campus Center
Lunch is available for purchase à la carte. Make sure to get a photo with Gus the Mascot!
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5, CONTINUED

1 p.m.  TRIVIA  
_Courtyard Café, Jackson Campus Center_
Ben and Tom, The Savants of Question (made famous through Trivia Nights at Patrick’s on Third), will be hosting five rounds of trivia that include 10 questions each. Prizes for winners of each round and for the team with the overall highest score.

1 p.m.  SCULPTURE WALKING TOUR  
_Meet at Three Flags_
Did you know that five sculptors whose works appear on the Gustavus campus are said to be part of a “sculptural succession?” Join this guided tour to visit some of the public and not-so-public works that truly make Gustavus a sculpture garden. If you prefer to explore on your own, a self-guided tour brochure is available at the Jackson Campus Center Information desk or in Christ Chapel.

1 p.m.  MEN’S SOCCER VS. ST. OLAF  
_Gustie Soccer Field_

2 p.m.  Nobel Hall Tour  
_Nobel Hall_
Join us for a tour of the expansion and renovation of the iconic Nobel Hall. When the project is completed in 2020, Gustavus’ science facilities will rival those of the top liberal arts colleges in the nation. Nobel Hall houses the departments of biology, chemistry, geography, and geology along with interdisciplinary programs in biochemistry/molecular biology and environmental studies.

3 p.m.  HUMAN BUBBLE SOCCER  
_Hollingsworth Football Stadium_
Come jump in a bubble suit and kick the ball! Two teams of six people (ages 12 and older) will play soccer wearing a bubble suit. There’s a lot of bumping, bouncing, rolling, and laughing, especially from the spectators! *(Will be canceled if inclement weather).*

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3:30 p.m.  WOMEN’S SOCCER VS. ST. OLAF  
_Gustie Soccer Field_

5 p.m.  BINGO & PIZZA  
_Cec Eckhoff Alumni Hall, Johnson Student Union_
What says “college student” more than free pizza and bingo with prizes? Join the Campus Activities Office for family fun, Gustie prizes, and good old-fashioned bingo! Seating is limited to the first 300 people.

8 p.m.  PIP THE COMIC ILLUSIONIST  
_Björling Recital Hall, Fine Arts Center_
PiP the Comic Illusionist is an Australian magician, comedian, illusionist, actor and hypnotist. In 2014 he was classified as an “Alien with Extraordinary Ability” by the U.S. government. His critically acclaimed sell-out shows are pushing the art form of magic and changing the public’s perception of it.

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SUNDAY, OCTOBER 6

10:30 a.m.  HOLY COMMUNION WORSHIP SERVICE  
_Christ Chapel_
Worship with Holy Communion featuring choirs, handbells, and brass.

11 a.m.–12:30 p.m.  À LA CARTE LUNCH  
_Evelyn Young Dining Room, Jackson Campus Center_

2 p.m.  MUSIC PERFORMANCE SHOWCASE  
_Christ Chapel_
Gustavus Choir, Gustavus Symphony Orchestra, Gustavus Wind Orchestra, and the Gustavus Jazz Ensemble

WEEKEND ACTIVITIES INCLUDE:
Weekend Movie: Toy Story 4, Bingo & Pizza, Trivia, Fall Festival, Music Performances, Pip the Comic Illusionist, Human Bubble Soccer, and LineUs Improv Comedy Show!