**Raider Welcome**

**Sun Aug 16, 2015**

**10 am  Residence Halls Open**
**Calendar:** Raider Welcome  
**Created by:** studentengagement@ttu.edu  
**Description:** Welcome to your new home! www.housing.ttu.edu/movein

**Mon Aug 17, 2015**

**All day  Graduate Student Orientation**
**Where:** Texas Tech University, 2500 Broadway, Lubbock, TX 79409, United States  
**Calendar:** Raider Welcome  
**Created by:** studentengagement@ttu.edu  
**Description:** Visit http://www.gsac.ttu.edu/ for more information.

**All day  Best Dressed Space contest**
**Where:** Register Online  
**Calendar:** Raider Welcome  
**Created by:** studentengagement@ttu.edu  
**Description:** While you're busy getting your room all decked out, why not enter it in a contest to earn cash prizes? Look for posters in your hall to learn how to enter. Event Sponsor: Residence Halls Association Tracks: Social, New Students, Returning Students

**9 am  Raider Welcome Service Project: Habitat for Humanity**
**Where:** Meet at Stangel/Murdough Lobby  
**Calendar:** Raider Welcome  
**Created by:** studentengagement@ttu.edu  
**Description:** Students living in Stangel/Murdough will have an opportunity to give back to the Lubbock community through Habitat for Humanity. Each hall will have a designated time and date where we will bring up to 20 students from each hall to the build site and students will participate for approximately 4 hours building/renovating houses. Tracks: Community Service, Social, New Students Event Sponsor: Raider Welcome Committee

**10 am  Explore Lubbock! City tours.**
**Where:** Meet near the Barnes & Noble entrance in the SUB  
**Calendar:** Raider Welcome  
**Created by:** studentengagement@ttu.edu  
**Description:** Join the Residence Halls Association on a tour of Lubbock Hot spots. Lubbock will be your home for the next 4 years. Why not get a jump start on knowing where everything is! Tour spaces are limited, so please arrive a few minutes early. Event Sponsor: Residence Halls Association Tracks: Campus & Community Awareness, Social, New Students

**1 pm  Raider Welcome Service Project: Habitat for Humanity**
**Where:** Meet at Wall/Gates Lobby  
**Calendar:** Raider Welcome  
**Created by:** studentengagement@ttu.edu  
**Description:** Students living in Wall/Gates will have an opportunity to give back to the Lubbock community through Habitat for Humanity. Each hall will have a designated time and date where we will bring up to 20 students from each hall to the build site and students will participates for approximately 4 hours building/renovating houses. Tracks: Community Service, Social, New Students Event Sponsor: Raider Welcome Committee
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2 pm See what it means to be a part of Human Sciences
  Where: College of Human Sciences Courtyard (located by the playground and Doak Hall)
  Calendar: Raider Welcome
  Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
  Description:
  Come join us to learn more about what The College of Human Sciences has to offer! Join the fun with free pizza, giveaways and more!!! We welcome all new and returning students. This is a great time for students to meet the College of Human Sciences faculty, staff, program directors and current student leaders. Come enjoy this wonderful opportunity to interact with fellow students. Don’t miss out on the fun! Event Tracks: Student Involvement, Leadership Development, Social Event Sponsor: College of Human Sciences

5 pm $.99 Steak Night
  Where: Between Architecture and Media & Communication Buildings
  Calendar: Raider Welcome
  Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
  Description:
  Come join us and hundreds of other students for a steak, baked potato, salad, dessert, and a drink for just $.99. Steak Night has been a part of Texas Tech for over 25 years so come join us and meet tons of fellow red raiders! Event Sponsor: Baptist Student Ministry
  Tracks: Student Involvement, Social, Free Food

7 pm University Career Center Sweet Treat Retreat
  Where: University Career Center, 150 Wiggins Complex (west of Chitwood/Weymouth)
  Calendar: Raider Welcome
  Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
  Description:
  Join us at the University Career Center for fun, music, ice cream, and free giveaways! Meet our staff and learn what the UCC can do for you! There will also be appearances by the TTU Spirit Squad and Masked Rider. Event Sponsor: Texas Tech University Career Center Tracks: Academics & Academic Services, Social, Free Food

Tue Aug 18, 2015

All day Best Dressed Space contest
  Where: Register Online
  Calendar: Raider Welcome
  Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
  Description:
  While you're busy getting your room all decked out, why not enter it in a contest to earn cash prizes? Look for posters in your hall to learn how to enter. Event Sponsor: Residence Halls Association Tracks: Social, New Students, Returning Students

All day Red Raider Orientation
  Where: Texas Tech University, 2500 Broadway, Lubbock, TX 79409, United States
  Calendar: Raider Welcome
  Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
  Description: Visit www.redraiderorientation.ttu.edu for more information.

9 am Raider Welcome Service Project: Habitat for Humanity
  Where: Meet at Bledsoe/Gordon/Sneed Lobby
  Calendar: Raider Welcome
  Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
  Description:
  Students living in Bledsoe/Gordon/Sneed will have an opportunity to give back to the Lubbock community through Habitat for Humanity. Each hall will have a designated time and date where we will bring up to 20 students from each hall to the build site and students will participate for approximately 4 hours building/renovating houses. Tracks: Community Service, Social, New Students Event Sponsor: Raider Welcome Committee
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11am  Block Party at Wesley Foundation
Where: 2420 15th St, Lubbock, TX 79401, USA
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
Block Party 11 am to 1:30 pm Wednesday, August 18th Free Food, Iced Coffee, Tea/Lemonade, Mechanical Bull, Bungee Run, Hot Dog Eating Contest, Masked Rider, Raider Red, Ping Pong, Pool, Foosball, Music and Fun! 2420 15th Street & University @ Wesley Foundation behind the Valero Station.

1pm  Raider Welcome Service Project: Habitat for Humanity
Where: Meet at Chitwood/Weymouth Lobby
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
Students living in Chitwood/Weymouth will have an opportunity to give back to the Lubbock community through Habitat for Humanity. Each hall will have a designated time and date where we will bring up to 20 students from each hall to the build site and students will participate for approximately 4 hours building/renovating houses. Tracks: Community Service, Social, New Students Event Sponsor: Raider Welcome Committee

3pm  Allied Health Success Sessions
Where: HSC 2C103
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
Come learn what the School of Allied Health has to offer! Experience one on one advising with our Admissions Counselors, learn requirements for each of our 19 programs, and how to be a competitive applicant. PT, OT, PA, AT, SLP and Pre-Med options. Event Sponsor: TTUHSC School of Allied Health Sciences Tracks: Academics & Academic Services, New Students Graduate Students

4:30pm  Intro to Better Body Bootcamp
Where: Student Rec Center, Room 114
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
Never been to Boot Camp? Try this challenging and heart pumping workout for men and women of every fitness level. This is your chance to learn what it’s all about. Event Sponsor: Recreational Sports Tracks: Student Involvement, Social, Wellness & Recreation

5pm  Night at the Union
Where: Student Union Building
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
Come explore the SUB & experience what Tech Activities Board has to offer. Make a dry erase board with a photo of you and your friends. Taste all kinds of delicious fare courtesy of Hospitality Services. Explore tons of activities throughout the Student Union! Free with TTU Student ID. Event Sponsor: Student Union & Activities Tracks: Student Involvement, Social, Free Food
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6pm Student Organization Fair
Where: Student Union Building Ballroom
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description: Looking for a way to connect on campus? Come browse the Student Organization Fair where you will have the opportunity to learn about student organizations on campus. Meet students with your same interests, and learn how to get involved! If you can not find the student organization you are interested in then stop by the Involvement Ambassadors table where they can introduce you to OrgSync. Questions? email studentorgs@ttu.edu. Event Sponsor: Center for Campus Life Tracks: Student Involvement, Social, New Students

Wed Aug 19, 2015

All day Best Dressed Space contest
Where: Register Online
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description: While you’re busy getting your room all decked out, why not enter it in a contest to earn cash prizes? Look for posters in your hall to learn how to enter. Event Sponsor: Residence Halls Association Tracks: Social, New Students, Returning Students

All day Red Raider Orientation
Where: Texas Tech University, 2500 Broadway, Lubbock, TX 79409, United States
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description: Visit www.redraiderorientation.ttu.edu for more information.

9am Raider Welcome Service Project: Habitat for Humanity
Where: Meet at Horn/Knapp Lobby
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description: Students living in Horn/Knapp will have an opportunity to give back to the Lubbock community through Habitat for Humanity. Each hall will have a designated time and date where we will bring up to 20 students from each hall to the build site and students will participate for approximately 4 hours building/renovating houses. Tracks: Community Service, Social, New Students Event Sponsor: Raider Welcome Committee

10am Allied Health Success Sessions
Where: HSC 2C103
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description: Come learn what the School of Allied Health has to offer! Experience one on one advising with our Admissions Counselors, learn requirements for each of our 19 programs, and how to be a competitive applicant. PT, OT, PA, AT, SLP and Pre-Med options. Event Sponsor: TTUHSC School of Allied Health Sciences Tracks: Academics & Academic Services, New Students Graduate Students

10am Explore Lubbock! City tours.
Where: Meet near the Barnes& Noble entrance in the SUB
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description: Join the Residence Halls Association on a tour of Lubbock Hot spots. Lubbock will be your home for the next 4 years. Why not get a jump start on knowing where everything is! Tour spaces are limited, so please arrive a few minutes early. Event Sponsor: Residence Halls Association Tracks: Campus & Community Awareness, Social, New Students
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**10 am**  Smokin' Joe BBQ

**Where:** Student Union Building, Free Speech Pavilion  
**Calendar:** Raider Welcome  
**Created by:** studentengagement@ttu.edu  
**Description:**  
Saddle Tramps would like to welcome all new Red Raiders! Come out and enjoy some awesome BBQ Brisket prepared by Smokin' Joe BBQ. Hope to see every one out there. Wreck'em Tech. Event Sponsor: Saddle Tramps Tracks: Student Involvement, Texas Tech University Traditions, New Students

**1 pm**  ATLC Open House Giveaway

**Where:** ATLC Main - Library building west basement  
**Calendar:** Raider Welcome  
**Created by:** studentengagement@ttu.edu  
**Description:**  
• DISCOVER ATLC computer labs across campus  
• EARN free WEPA printing credits  
• SEE our 3-D printing in action  
• GET free loot  
Event Sponsor: IT Technology Support Tracks: Academics & Academic Services, New Students, Returning Students

**1 pm**  Raider Welcome Service Project: Habitat for Humanity

**Where:** Meet at Hulen/Clement Lobby  
**Calendar:** Raider Welcome  
**Created by:** studentengagement@ttu.edu  
**Description:**  
Students living in Hulen/Clement will have an opportunity to give back to the Lubbock community through Habitat for Humanity. Each hall will have a designated time and date where we will bring up to 20 students from each hall to the build site and students will participate for approximately 4 hours building/renovating houses. Tracks: Community Service, Social, New Students  
Event Sponsor: Raider Welcome Committee

**1 pm**  WoofStock

**Where:** Grassy field near Murray Clocktower  
**Calendar:** Raider Welcome  
**Created by:** studentengagement@ttu.edu  
**Description:**  
Come learn about getting involved in a community service based student organization and their Animals & Environment committee while playing with puppies from local animal shelters. Event Sponsor: Raiders Helping Others (RHO) Tracks: Community Service, Social, New Students

**2 pm**  CSI: University Library

**Where:** University Library Room 150  
**Calendar:** Raider Welcome  
**Created by:** studentengagement@ttu.edu  
**Description:**  
There’s a mystery to solve in the Library - Come Solve It! The Library can be a scary and mysterious place for new students, but don’t be afraid. Join us for a fun game of discovery and "whodunit." Get a clue while you search, explore and try to unravel the mystery of the Library. We’ll bring the clues, snacks, drinks, and prizes for the winners. Event Sponsor: University Libraries Tracks: Academics & Academic Services, New Students, Transfer Students

**3 pm**  Indoor Cycling Basics

**Where:** Student Rec Center, Raider Ride Room  
**Calendar:** Raider Welcome  
**Created by:** studentengagement@ttu.edu  
**Description:**  
Join us for this express fun cycling class. A mixture of cycling drills will give you the calorie burn you desire. Come prepared to work hard and sweat your way to great cardio fitness. Classes are every 30 minutes beginning at 3:00, 3:30, and 4:00pm. Event Sponsor: Recreational Sports Tracks: Student Involvement, Social, Wellness & Recreation
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5pm The Big Something
Where: Between Media & Communication and Architecture Buildings
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
**NEW LOCATION Connect with Freshmen at Texas Tech. Free Pizza, Sand Volleyball and Outdoor Games. Event Sponsor: Cru at Texas Tech University Tracks: Student Involvement, Free Food, New Students

6pm The Royal F.I.R.M FAM Yard Show
Where: Student Union Building Amphitheater
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
The First Inter-Racially Mixed Family would like to present you with an entertaining performance of stepping and strolling. Come out and watch as Phi Beta Sigma National Fraternity, Zeta Phi Beta National Sorority, Sigma Lambda Beta International Fraternity, and Sigma Lambda Gamma National Sorority welcomes our new red raiders to campus! Event Sponsor: Sigma Lambda Beta International Fraternity Tracks: Student Involvement, Social, Cultural Diversity

9:30pm Barnes and Noble Night
Where: Barnes and Noble in the Student Union
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
Join us as we welcome all students back. We will have free food, drinks, massages, hair cuts, information booths, DJ, and goody bags. Event Sponsor: Barnes and Noble at Texas Tech Tracks: Student Involvement, Social, Free Food

Thu Aug 20, 2015

All day Best Dressed Space contest
Where: Register Online
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
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All day Red Raider Orientation
Where: Texas Tech University, 2500 Broadway, Lubbock, TX 79409, United States
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description: Visit www.redraiderorientation.ttu.edu for more information.

9am Raider Welcome Service Project: Habitat for Humanity
Where: Meet at New West Campus Hall Lobby
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
Students living in the New West Campus Hall will have an opportunity to give back to the Lubbock community through Habitat for Humanity. Each hall will have a designated time and date where we will bring up to 20 students from each hall to the build site and students will participate for approximately 4 hours building/renovating houses. Tracks: Community Service, Social, New Students Event Sponsor: Raider Welcome Committee
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1 pm  ATLC Open House Giveaway
Where: Health, Exercise, and Sports Sciences building computer lab room 173
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
• DISCOVER ATLC computer labs across campus
• EARN free WEPA printing credits
• SEE our 3-D printing in action
• GET free loot Event Sponsor: IT Technology Support Tracks: Academics & Academic Services, New Students, Returning Students

1 pm  Raider Welcome Service Project: Habitat for Humanity
Where: Meet at Talkington Lobby
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
Students living in Talkington will have an opportunity to give back to the Lubbock community through Habitat for Humanity. Each hall will have a designated time and date where we will bring up to 20 students from each hall to the build site and students will participate for approximately 4 hours building/renovating houses. Tracks: Community Service, Social, New Students Event Sponsor: Raider Welcome Committee

2 pm  Get to Know Student Media
Where: Student Media offices, Room 180 Media & Comm
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
Join us as we begin to celebrate our 90th anniversary and learn about what The Daily Toreador newspaper and La Ventana yearbook are and how you can get involved. Photographers will be available to take free portraits for La Ventana and The DT staff will be hard at work on the first issue of the school year. Come see what we do. Event Sponsor: Student Media
Tracks: Student Involvement, Leadership Development, Texas Tech University Traditions

3 pm  Intro to CrossFit
Where: Raider Performance Room
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
You've heard about it, now give it a try. Learn the basic skills to CrossFit Texas Tech. It's for every skill level, REALLY! Event Sponsor: Recreational Sports
Tracks: Student Involvement, Social, Wellness & Recreation

3:30 pm  Raider Welcome Service Project: Blood Drive
Where: Student Rec Center
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: Rachel Bobbitt
Description:
Be a hero! Give the gift of life. United Blood Services will be set up in the Student Rec Center for students, faculty, and staff to stop by and donate blood to help save a life. Tracks: Community Service, Leadership Development, Wellness & Recreation
Event Sponsor: Raider Welcome Committee

5 pm  Alpha Phi Alpha Back to School BBQ
Where: SUB North Plaza and Gazebo
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
We extended our invitation to all incoming freshman, students, faculty and staff. Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity will continue to be first in all endeavors and this New Student/Welcome Back BBQ is one of many events we will throw to ensure scholastic success and a comfortable environment for the Texas Tech community. Event Sponsor: Eta Upsilon Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha Inc. Event Tracks: Student Involvement, Social, Free Food
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7pm  Matador Madness Race
Where: West Rec Fields, 10th Street and Texas Tech University
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
Grab a friend and participate in our Matador Madness III Obstacle Run. Flip tires, jump over walls, carry cinder blocks, as well as many more physical challenges. Register on www.recspports.ttu.edu or meet at the West Rec Fields. Event Sponsor: Recreational Sports Tracks: Student Involvement, Social, Wellness & Recreation

9pm  Late Night Breakfast BINGO
Where: SUB Food Court
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
Bring your friends (and make some new ones) as you recharge after a busy day with a FREE Late Night Breakfast and BINGO. Event Tracks: Campus & Community Awareness, Social, Free Food Event Sponsor: Risk Intervention & Safety Education

Fri Aug 21, 2015

All day  Best Dressed Space contest
Where: Register Online
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
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9am  Raider Welcome Service Project: Habitat for Humanity
Where: Meet at Coleman Lobby
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
Students living in Coleman will have an opportunity to give back to the Lubbock community through Habitat for Humanity. Each hall will have a designated time and date where we will bring up to 20 students from each hall to the build site and students will participate for approximately 4 hours building/renovating houses. Event Sponsor: Raider Welcome Committee

10am  Explore Lubbock! City tours.
Where: Meet near the Barnes& Noble entrance in the SUB
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
Join the Residence Halls Association on a tour of Lubbock Hot spots. Lubbock will be your home for the next 4 years. Why not get a jump start on knowing where everything is! Tour spaces are limited, so please arrive a few minutes early. Event Sponsor: Residence Halls Association Tracks: Campus & Community Awareness, Social, New Students

10am  Raider Welcome Service Project: Blood Drive
Where: Student Union Building Blood Mobile
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
Be a hero! Give the gift of life. United Blood Services will be set up in the Student Rec Center for students, faculty, and staff to stop by and donate blood to help save a life. Event Sponsor: Raider Welcome Committee
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11am  Piggy Bank Decorating Event
Where: In the SUB accross from Copy Tech
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description: Come and decorate a FREE piggy bank with the Personal Finance Program! Event
Sponsor: Personal Finance Program - Personal Financial Planning Department Tracks: Academics & Academic Services, Social, New Students

1pm  ATLC Open House Giveaway
Where: College of Media and Communication room 363
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description: •DISCOVER ATLC computer labs across campus •EARN free WEPA printing credits •SEE our 3-D printing in action •GET free loot Event Sponsor: IT Technology Support Tracks: Academics & Academic Services, New Students, Returning Students

1pm  Raider Welcome Service Project: Habitat for Humanity
Where: Meet at Carpenter/Wells Lobby
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description: Students living in Carpenter/Wells will have an opportunity to give back to the Lubbock community through Habitat for Humanity. Each hall will have a designated time and date where we will bring up to 20 students from each hall to the build site and students will participate for approximately 4 hours building/renovating houses. Tracks: Community Service, Social, New Students Event Sponsor: Raider Welcome Committee

1pm  SDS Open House
Where: Student Disability Services Office, 335 West Hall
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description: Student Disability Services would like to open our doors to all new and returning SDS students in order to introduce our new online information management system. This system will keep track of student applications and documentation, and will also allow the student to request accommodations online as well as update information as needed. Change is sometimes difficult, so we want to make sure everyone has an opportunity to come by and ask questions in order to feel comfortable with the system prior to the beginning of class. Event Sponsor: Student Disability Services Tracks: New Students, Returning Students, Transfer Students

3pm  Humans versus Zombies Experience
Where: Between Architecture and Media & Communication Buildings
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description: Come learn and participate in some mini games with Humans versus Zombies! Event Sponsor: Humans versus Zombies Tracks: Student Involvement, Social, Wellness & Recreation
5:30 pm  Hack the Museum
Where: Museum of Texas Tech University
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
Join the Museum of Texas Tech University for free food, music, and tell us how you
#hackmyMOTTU on August 21, 2015 from 5:30pm-7:30pm. Join fellow students for un-highlights
tours and enter a photo into the #hackmyMOTTU photo contest! Do you have what it takes to
hack the museum? Event Sponsor: Museum Science & Heritage Students Association and the
Museum of Texas Tech University Tracks: Campus & Community Awareness, Social, New
Students

6:30 pm  LGBTQ Glitter Games Gala!
Where: student union building Mesa room
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
Join TTU's only LGBTQ student organization for a game night throw down! Not into
games but still love to meet new people? We will have snacks, drinks, LGBTQ resources, and
amazing folks to meet and mingle with! As always, welcome all orientations and gender
identities; including allies, of course! Event Sponsor: Texas Tech Gay Straight Alliance Tracks:
Campus & Community Awareness, Cultural Diversity, New Students

7 pm  Casino Night presented by RHA
Where: Rec Center rooms 114 and 116
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
Bring your friends or make some new ones as you try your luck at a game of
blackjack, Texas Hold 'Em, roulette, and many more. Snacks and prizes available throughout the
night. Event Sponsor: Residence Halls Association Tracks: Social, New Students, Returning
Students

9 pm  Dive-In Movie
Where: Leisure Pool
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
Join TAB at the Leisure Pool and catch a movie while you float! Free with TTU
Student ID. Event Sponsor: Tech Activities Board Tracks: Student Involvement, Free Food, New
Students

Sat Aug 22, 2015

All day  Best Dressed Space contest
Where: Register Online
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
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to earn cash prizes? Look for posters in your hall to learn how to enter. Event Sponsor:
Residence Halls Association Tracks: Social, New Students, Returning Students
1:30pm  Launch Your Future in Engineering (LYFE)

**Where:** Student Union Building, Allen Theatre  
**Calendar:** Raider Welcome  
**Created by:** studentengagement@ttu.edu  
**Description:**
Incoming students of the Whitacre College of Engineering will learn about the resources of the Engineering Opportunities Center (EOC). Students will meet the staff of the EOC, learn about career opportunities, hear about how to fulfill their international engineering requirement, and much more! Students who are interested in learning about finding community in the Whitacre College of Engineering are welcome to participate in breakout groups at LYFE for Females in Engineering, First Generation College Students, and Transfers to the WCOE. We are also offering an International Engineering Program breakout session for students interested in how to fulfill their international experience requirement. Website & Registration: http://www.depts.ttu.edu/coe/undergraduate/lyfe.php Event Sponsor: Whitacre College of Engineering, ConocoPhillips Center for Engineering Enrichment & Diversity Tracks: Academic, New Students

6pm  Wreck ‘Em Rally

**Where:** Jones AT&T Stadium, 2526 Mac Davis Lane, Lubbock, TX 79409, United States  
**Calendar:** Raider Welcome  
**Created by:** studentengagement@ttu.edu  
**Description:**
Kickoff the 2015-16 Athletics Season with the Wreck ‘Em Rally. Freefood, giveaways and even a jalapeno eating contest. Plus a special message from the Red Raider coaches. Event Sponsor: Texas Tech Athletics Event Tracks: Athletics, Free Food, New Students

Sun Aug 23, 2015

**All day  Best Dressed Space contest**

**Where:** Register Online  
**Calendar:** Raider Welcome  
**Created by:** studentengagement@ttu.edu  
**Description:**
While you’re busy getting your room all decked out, why not enter it in a contest to earn cash prizes? Look for posters in your hall to learn how to enter. Event Sponsor: Residence Halls Association Tracks: Social, New Students, Returning Students

Mon Aug 24, 2015

**All day  Best Dressed Space contest**

**Where:** Register Online  
**Calendar:** Raider Welcome  
**Created by:** studentengagement@ttu.edu  
**Description:**
While you’re busy getting your room all decked out, why not enter it in a contest to earn cash prizes? Look for posters in your hall to learn how to enter. Event Sponsor: Residence Halls Association Tracks: Social, New Students, Returning Students

**All day  First Day of Class**

**Where:** Texas Tech University, Broadway Street, Lubbock, TX, United States  
**Calendar:** Raider Welcome  
**Created by:** studentengagement@ttu.edu
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**9:30am  Game Day Shirt Giveaway**

**Where:**
Outside Sam's West; Outside Fresh Plate at Gordon / Bledsoe; Entrance to Stangel and Murdough

**Calendar:** Raider Welcome

**Created by:** studentengagement@ttu.edu

**Description:**
Texas Tech Game Day T-shirt giveaway. Come learn about Cru at Texas Tech and get a free t-shirt until they are all gone. Event Sponsor: Cru at Texas Tech University (Campus Crusade for Christ) Tracks: Student Involvement, Leadership Development, New Students

**10am  First Day of School Photos**

**Where:** Free Speech Area

**Calendar:** Raider Welcome

**Created by:** studentengagement@ttu.edu

**Description:**
No first day of school is complete without the traditional first day of school photos. Stop by on your first day of school to get your photo taken and share with your parents and family. Event Sponsor: Parent & Family Relations Tracks: New Students, Returning Students, Transfer Students

**12pm  CUTE Club Class Kickoff Cool down**

**Where:** Knapp Hall Lawn

**Calendar:** Raider Welcome

**Created by:** studentengagement@ttu.edu

**Description:**
Get the year started off in a green way. Swing by for a free reusable plastic tumbler filled with cold lemonade on your way to class, then reuse the cup all year long for a discount on cold beverages in campus dining locations. Help RHA's Clean Up The Environment Club keep Styrofoam out of the landfill! Event Sponsor: Residence Halls Association Tracks: Social, Free Food, New Students

**1pm  ATLC Open House Giveaway**

**Where:** Student Union Building basement computer lab

**Calendar:** Raider Welcome

**Created by:** studentengagement@ttu.edu

**Description:**
•DISCOVER ATLC computer labs across campus •EARN free WEPA printing credits
•SEE our 3-D printing in action •GET free loot Event Sponsor:IT Technology Support Tracks: Academics & Academic Services, New Students, Returning Students

**4pm  Wind Energy Open House**

**Where:** National Wind Institute (North of the Math Building)

**Calendar:** Raider Welcome

**Created by:** studentengagement@ttu.edu

**Description:**
The National Wind Institute will be hosting a back-to-school party for all current and prospective Wind Energy students. This is a great time for students to meet the National Wind Institute faculty, staff, directors, and fellow students. Come enjoy free pizza, ice cream (while supplies last). Event Tracks: Student Involvement, Free Food, New Students Event Sponsor: National Wind Institute
Raider Welcome

5pm  PEGASUS Welcome Event
Where: Student Union Building - North Plaza
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
The PEGASUS Program Welcome Event is where we welcome First Generation College students to the Tech in an effort to get them connected on campus. Students will be informed about our program and how to be eligible for the scholarship. This is also the time that students meet their mentors and other team members. Event Sponsor: PEGASUS Tracks: Student Involvement, Cultural Diversity, New Students

6pm  Guns Up Forevermore Over-sized Game Night
Where: Lawn near Murray Clock tower
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
Come learn about the Residence Halls Association, the Guns Up Forevermore Scholarship, and how to get involved on campus while playing giant games like Jenga, Battleship, Checkers, Twister, and more. Free food for the first 100. Event Sponsor: Residence Halls Association Tracks: Student Involvement, Social, Free Food

6pm  Tech DeClassified: School Survival Guide
Where: Education Building Room 001 (Basement)
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
Meet with Alpha Phi Alpha, Inc for an interactive discussion intended to offer general, all-purpose advice to all students, new and returning. Event Sponsor: Alpha Phi Alpha Inc. Tracks: New Students, Returning Students, Transfer Students

Tue Aug 25, 2015

All day  Best Dressed Space contest
Where: Register Online
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
While you're busy getting your room all decked out, why not enter it in a contest to earn cash prizes? Look for posters in your hall to learn how to enter. Event Sponsor: Residence Halls Association Tracks: Social, New Students, Returning Students

11am  Transfer Student Welcome BBQ & T-Shirt Swap
Where: SUB North Plaza
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
The Transfer Ambassadors and Transfer Techsans are hosting their annual t-shirt swap and BBQ on August 25! Bring a t-shirt from your previous school and swap it out for a brand new FREE Texas Tech shirt! You can also come meet your fellow transfer students and enjoy free food, games, and prizes. New transfer students will receive a voucher for free food in their TTU email. Event Sponsor: Transition & Engagement Tracks: Social, Free Food, Transfer Students
Raider Welcome

12:30 pm  CUTE Club Class Kickoff Cool down
Where: SW Corner of 18th and Flint Ave.
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
Get the year started off in a green way. Swing by for a free reusable plastic
tumbler filled with cold lemonade on your way to class, then reuse the cup all year long for a
discount on cold beverages in campus dining locations. Help RHA's Clean Up The Environment
Club keep Styrofoam out of the landfill! Event Sponsor: Residence Halls Association Tracks:
Social, Free Food, New Students

1 pm  ATLC Open House Giveaway
Where: Sneed Residence Hall computer lab
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
• DISCOVER ATLC computer labs across campus • EARN free WEPA printing credits
• SEE our 3-D printing in action • GET free loot Event Sponsor: IT Technology Support Tracks:
Academics & Academic Services, New Students, Returning Students

6 pm  TTUHSC Meet & Greet
Where: Area Between the Library and the Student Union
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
The Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center is hosting a meet & greet for
incoming students. We will have free food, free t-shirts, and live music. Students will have the
opportunity to network with President Mitchell, advisors and current students. Event Sponsor:
TTUHSC School of Allied Health Sciences Tracks: Academics & Academic Services, New Students
Graduate Students

7 pm  Wallapalooza
Where: Rock Wall
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
Check out the newly redesigned Rock Climbing Wall at the Student RecCenter.
Don’t let the height of this monstrosity prevent you from tackling a new challenge, Try-A-Climb,
Boulder or Traverse across the Rec Center’s new crown jewel! Event Sponsor: Recreational
Sports Tracks: Student Involvement, Social, Wellness & Recreation

8 pm  The MRsoE! Comedy Show
Where: Student Union Building, Allen Theatre
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
MRsoE! (The Most RACES Show on Earth!) delivers a unique multicultural stand-
up comedy show that lets us laugh at our differences and tackle ethnic stereotypes, while
educating students about diversity and multiculturalism. The show will consist of 3 comedians of
all different nationalities. This event is a part of the Learning Through Laughter Series and is
being made available for Raider Welcome. Event Sponsor: Cross Cultural Academic
Advancement Center Event Tracks: Campus & Community Awareness, Student Involvement,
Cultural Diversity
Raider Welcome

9pm  Complex Council Welcome Back event & Informational Meetings
Where: Every Residence hall lobby
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description: Complex Council is a programming and governing board within each residential complex. Come learn more about what you can do to get involved within your hall to help plan events and make friends. Fee food available at most meetings. Event Sponsor: University Student Housing Tracks: Student Involvement, Leadership Development, Social

Wed Aug 26, 2015

All day  Best Dressed Space contest
Where: Register Online
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description: While you're busy getting your room all decked out, why not enter it in a contest to earn cash prizes? Look for posters in your hall to learn how to enter. Event Sponsor: Residence Halls Association Tracks: Social, New Students, Returning Students

10am  What's Up Wednesday w/ Student Involvement
Where: Tabling Area across from Copy/Mail
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description: Looking for a way to connect on campus? Want to learn about Leadership Development opportunities? Are you a student organization leader and have questions about resources? Come check out what's up with Student Involvement and ask any questions you might have. If you miss us email studentorgs@ttu.edu. Event Sponsor: Center for Campus Life Tracks: Student Involvement, New Students, Returning Students

11am  Transfer Student T-Shirt Swap
Where: Free Speech Area
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description: If you missed your chance to swap your t-shirt on Tuesday, come out again today! Bring a t-shirt from your previous school and swap it out for a brand new FREE Texas Tech shirt! Event Sponsor: Transition & Engagement Tracks: Transfer Students

11:30am  Picnic with the President
Where: Student Union Building - North Plaza
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description: President Nellis, his wife Ruthie, and Texas Tech administrators would like to welcome you back to campus with the annual Picnic with the President! All students are encouraged to come enjoy the fellowship and a free picnic lunch served by the President and his leadership team. Event Sponsor: Office of the President Tracks: Free Food, New Students, Returning Students

12pm  Dancers with Soul- Meet and Greet
Where: Student Union Building Red Raider Lounge
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description: Do you like to dance? Do you want to reach the Lubbock community through dance? Then come meet Texas Tech's first hip-hop dance team. Event Sponsor: Dancers with Soul: Texas Tech Hip Hop Dance Team Tracks: Student Involvement, Social, New Students
Raider Welcome

**1pm  ATLC Open House Giveaway**
*Where:* Carpenter/Wells computer lab 2nd floor  
*Calendar:* Raider Welcome  
*Created by:* studentengagement@ttu.edu  
*Description:*  
• DISCOVER ATLC computer labs across campus  
• EARN free WEPA printing credits  
• SEE our 3-D printing in action  
• GET free loot  
*Event Sponsor:* IT Technology Support Tracks: Academics & Academic Services, New Students, Returning Students

**6pm  Sport Club Fair**
*Where:* Basketball Court 4 in the Rec Center  
*Calendar:* Raider Welcome  
*Created by:* studentengagement@ttu.edu  
*Description:*  
Come join the Sport Club Family and learn about the 28 Sport Clubs we have.  
Representatives from each organization will be here to explain and discuss what they are about and how to get involved! From Cricket, to Lacrosse, to Paintball, we have it all.  
*Event Sponsor:* Recreational Sports Tracks: Student Involvement, Social, Wellness & Recreation

**7pm  TAB Free Movie Night**
*Where:* Allen Theatre  
*Calendar:* Raider Welcome  
*Created by:* studentengagement@ttu.edu  
*Description:*  
Catch a new movie release with TAB! Free with TTU Student ID.  
*Event Sponsor:* Tech Activities Board Tracks: Student Involvement, Social

**Thu Aug 27, 2015**

**All day  Best Dressed Space contest**
*Where:* Register Online  
*Calendar:* Raider Welcome  
*Created by:* studentengagement@ttu.edu  
*Description:*  
While you’re busy getting your room all decked out, why not enter it in a contest to earn cash prizes?  
Look for posters in your hall to learn how to enter.  
*Event Sponsor:* Residence Halls Association Tracks: Social, New Students, Returning Students

**1pm  ATLC Open House Giveaway**
*Where:* Coleman residence hall computer lab  
*Calendar:* Raider Welcome  
*Created by:* studentengagement@ttu.edu  
*Description:*  
• DISCOVER ATLC computer labs across campus  
• EARN free WEPA printing credits  
• SEE our 3-D printing in action  
• GET free loot  
*Event Sponsor:* IT Technology Support Tracks: Academics & Academic Services, New Students, Returning Students

**3:30pm  TAB Free Movie Matinee**
*Where:* Allen Theatre  
*Calendar:* Raider Welcome  
*Created by:* studentengagement@ttu.edu  
*Description:*  
Catch a new movie release with TAB! Free with TTU Student ID.  
*Event Sponsor:* Tech Activities Board Tracks: Student Involvement, Social
Raider Welcome

6 pm  Dodgeball Tournament
Where: Student Rec Center, Court 5
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description: Nothing says “Welcome Back” like throwing a ball at someone else. Grab5 of your closest friends for our 6v6 Dodgeball Tournament. You can either register on IMLeagues.com or meet in the Rec Center on Court 5. Event Sponsor: Recreational Sports Tracks: Student Involvement, Social, Wellness & Recreation

8 pm  Kick Off Paradigm
Where: First Baptist Church, 2201 Broadway, Lubbock, TX 79401, United States
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description: **NEW LOCATION An annual on campus worship experience to kick off the university ministry of First Baptist Lubbock for the year. Great for students looking for a weekly event that supports their faith and connects them with Christian community both on campus and in church. Event Sponsor: First Baptist Church University Ministry- Paradigm Tracks: Student Involvement, New Students, Returning Students

8 pm  TAB Presents: Kamikaze Fireflies
Where: Allen Theatre
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description: Come out tonight to see 'America's Got Talent' performers Kamikaze Fireflies! Be prepared to be awed by their theatrical variety show! Free with your TTU Student ID. Event Sponsor: Tech Activities Board Tracks: Student Involvement, Social

8:30 pm  Cru Weekly Meeting
Where: The Hance Chapel on Campus @ 17th and University
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description: Connect with other students and grow in your relationship with God. Event Sponsor: Cru at Texas Tech University (Campus Crusade for Christ) Tracks: Campus & Community Awareness, New Students, Returning Students

Fri Aug 28, 2015

All day  Best Dressed Space contest
Where: Register Online
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description: While you’re busy getting your room all decked out, why not enter it in a contest to earn cash prizes? Look for posters in your hall to learn how to enter. Event Sponsor: Residence Halls Association Tracks: Social, New Students, Returning Students

10 am  College of Arts & Sciences Day
Where: Grounds outside of south entrance to Holden Hall
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description: The College of Arts & Sciences would like to welcome our new and returning students with free cotton candy and snow cones outside the south entrance to Holden Hall on Friday, August 28th. Meet the dean and find out more about our majors, minors, and student organizations. Event Sponsor: College of Arts and Sciences Tracks: Academics & Academic Services, Student Involvement, Free Food
Raider Welcome

1 pm  ATLC Open House Giveaway
Where: ATLC Main - Library building west basement
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
• DISCOVER ATLC computer labs across campus • EARN free WEPA printing credits
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5 pm  Rec Fest
Where: West Rec Turf Complex
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
Join us at the new West Rec Turf Complex for a night full of free food, games, prizes, and a ton of fun! Take a bike tour through campus to the Turf Complex lead by our Outdoor Pursuits Staff; compete in our Flag Football Scouting Combine; participate in different Sport Club events; lastly learn what Rec Sports has to offer! Event Sponsor: Recreational Sports Tracks: Student Involvement, Social, Wellness & Recreation

8 pm  TAB Presents: Late Night Bowling
Where: Main Event
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
Instead of staying up late in your room, bring your friends to Main Event and hang out with TAB for some late night bowling fun. Free with TTU Student ID. Main Event: 6010 Marsha Sharp Fwy, Lubbock TX 79407 Event Sponsor: Tech Activities Board Tracks: Student Involvement, Social

Tue Sep 8, 2015

5:30 pm  New Student Convocation
Where: United Supermarkets Arena, 1701 Indiana Avenue, Lubbock, TX 79409, United States
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
Convocation is a time to celebrate. We celebrate the excitement of a new academic year as we welcome you. Just as Commencement is a ceremony that marks the completion of study, New Student Convocation celebrates a student’s entry into higher education. It is also one of the first events presenting the new class of students to the President, Texas Tech administrators and professors. The convocation speaker will offer inspiring words to set you on your new course of academic discovery. All new students (freshman and transfers) are invited to attend New Student Convocation. All Texas Tech faculty and staff are invited to greet and welcome the Class of 2019. #TTU19 *Doors open at 5 pm. Raider Ready students: please arrive early to scan your ID for attendance. Dress for Convocation is casual.

6 pm  MVP Welcomes Veterans & Family Members
Where: SUB Ballroom (already reserved for this event)
Calendar: Raider Welcome
Created by: studentengagement@ttu.edu
Description:
Military & Veterans Programs holds this event annually to welcome all incoming and current veterans and their family members or those wishing to support veterans at Texas Tech. Come listen to live music, eat a hamburger or hot dog, and visit with community partners in support of veterans in Lubbock. Event Sponsor: Military & Veterans Programs Tracks: Campus & Community Awareness, Student Involvement, Free Food