MONTANA STATE UNIVERSITY BILLINGS



Parent & Family Academic Calendar msubillings.edu/pfp

Welcome to the Yellowjacket Family

Our students and their education are important to us, and so is our partnership with parents and families. We recognize the word family can mean many things. Every week we visit with parents and guardians, grandparents, extended family members, close family friends, helpful uncles, interested sisters, and we all have the same goal, to support our students and provide them with the tools they need to succeed at MSU Billings.

We want to make sure, no matter where you are, you have all the information you need to support your student. With this at heart, MSU Billings has launched the Parent and Family Program. This program is geared to keep you engaged with your student and their University.

I invite you to visit our website, **www.msubillings.edu/pfp** and learn more about upcoming events, campus life, housing, athletic events, academic calendar and other support services. From all of us at MSU Billings...welcome to the Yellowjacket Family.

Sincerely,

Jeff Rosenberry Interim Associate Dean of Students















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October 2015

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Aug 30	31	Sep 1 Hispanic Heritage Month	2	3 Leadership Day	4	5
Grocery Bingo Tacos in a Bag Halls Open 9am	7 Welcome Back Movie Offices Closed	8 Night at the Mustangs	9 RHA Themed Dinner Thr Price is Right 7:00pm	10 Comedy Night with SAB	11 Welcome Back Dance	12 Service Saturday
13 Men's Soccer vs. SDSMT @ 3:30pm	ASMSUB Senator Applications Due by Spm Student Org Expo at University Campus	Yellowjacket Connections: Stereotype Sundaes	SAB Social Yellowjacket Connections: Grill your RA	Constitution Day Yellowjacket Connections: Night at the Rec.	18 Last day to change meal plan	19 Women's Soccer vs. NNU
20	ASMSUB Senate Meeting 5:00pm Yellowjacket Connections: Cooking in College	Flag Football: Men's and Women's Yellowjacket Connections: RHA Ultimate Frisbee	Flag Football: Men's and Women's Yellowjacket Connections: Police and Pizza	Co-Ed Softball Tournament Flag Football: Men's and Women's	25 Flag Football: Men's and Women's	26 Co-Ed Softball Tournament Flag Football: Men's and Women's
27 Flag Football: Men's and Women's	ASMSUB Senate Meeting 5:00pm Co-Ed Volleyball League	Flag Football: Men's and Women's Yellowjacket Connections: HEREOS Condom Bingo	Flag Football: Men's and Women's Yellowjacket Connections: Student Health Open House	Oct 1	2	3



PFP Reminders

Meal plans start for dinner on September 6th.

If a student drops a class they can return their book with the drop form and receipt to the Campus Store

Remind your student to take advantage of everything MSUB Rec Activities has to offer! msubillings.edu/recactivities





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4 Co-Ed Volleyball League	ASMSUB Senate Meeting 5:00pm Co-Ed Volleyball League	6 Co-Ed Volleyball League	7 Co-Ed Volleyball League	8 Co-Ed Volleyball League Flag Football: Men's and Women's	9 Co-Ed Volleyball League	10 Co-Ed Volleyball League Women's Soccer @ WWU
11 Co-Ed Volleyball League	ASMSUB Senate Meeting 5:00pm Co-Ed Volleyball League	Co-Ed Basketball League Rosters Due	14 Co-Ed Basketball League	15 Co-Ed Basketball League Flag Football: Men's and Women's	16 Co-Ed Basketball League	17 Co-Ed Basketball League Flag Football: Men's and Women's
18 Co-Ed Basketball League	19 Co-Ed Basketball League Co-Ed Volleyball League	20 Co-Ed Basketball League	21 Co-Ed Basketball League	Co-Ed Basketball League Flag Football: Men's and Women's	23 Co-Ed Basketball League	24 Co-Ed Basketball League Flag Football: Men's and Women's
25 Co-Ed Basketball League	26 Flag Football: Men's and Women's RHA Themed Dinner	27 Co-Ed Basketball League Freak Week Haunted House	28 Co-Ed Basketball League Flag Football: Men's and Women's	29 Freak Week Halloween Dance Men's Soccer @ SMU	30 Co-Ed Basketball League Flag Football: Men's and Women's	31 Co-Ed Basketball League Co-Ed Volleyball League



PFP Reminders

Remind your student to take advantage of the Academic Support Center for tutoring and help with course work!

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November 2015

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December 2015										
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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Nov 1 Co-Ed Basketball League Native American Heritage Month	2 ASMSUB Senate Meeting 5:00pm Co-Ed Basketball League	3 Co-Ed Basketball League	4 Co-Ed Basketball League	5 Co-Ed Basketball League Women's Soccer Conference Tournament	6 Co-Ed Basketball League	7 Co-Ed Basketball League Women's Soccer Conference Tournament
8 Co-Ed Basketball League	9 Co-Ed Basketball League	10 Table Tennis Tournament Sign-Up	Table Tennis Tournament Offices Closed	12 Co-Ed Basketball League	Co-Ed Basketball League Last Day to apply to graduate summer semester 2016 (attending ceremony)	14 Co-Ed Basketball League
15 Co-Ed Basketball League	16 Co-Ed Basketball League	17	18 Co-Ed Basketball League	19 Thanksgiving Dinner 5pm Rimrock Café	20 Co-Ed Basketball League	21 Co-Ed Basketball League
22 Co-Ed Basketball League	23 Co-Ed Basketball League Winterbreak Sign-Up	24 Co-Ed Basketball League	25 Thanksgiving Holiday NO CLASSES	26 Thanksgiving Holiday NO CLASSES-OFFICES CLOSED	27 Thanksgiving Holiday NO CLASSES-OFFICES CLOSED	28 Thanksgiving Holiday NO CLASSES-OFFICES CLOSED
29 Thanksgiving Holiday NO CLASSES-OFFICES CLOSED	ASMSUB Senate Meeting 5:00pm	Dec 1	2	3	4	5



PFP Reminders

Remind your student they can request a new room assignment or meal plan for the spring starting in November.

Students can sign up to stay in their rooms over the winter break for a small charge.

Make sure your student is preparing to register for spring semester.







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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Nov 29	30	Dec 1 Check Student Health 101 http://readsh101.com /msubillings.html	2	3 Men's Basketball @ CONC SAB In Good Glazes Night	Volleyball West Regionals	5 Men's Basketball @ WOU Women's Basketball vs NNU
6	7 Hanukka Starts	8	9	10 Volleyball NCAA Nationals	11 VIP Book Buyback	12 Volleyball NCAA Nationals
13 RHA Study Buck Auction	14 Book Buyback	15 Book Buyback	16 Book Buyback	Book Buyback Final day to withdraw from Fall 2015 (all classes, no refund)	Residence Halls Close 12:00 pm	19
20	21	22	Grades due in the Registrar's Office	24	25 Christmas OFFICES CLOSED	26
27	28	29	30	31 Women's Basketball @ UAA	Jan 1, 16	2



PFP Reminders

If students live in the halls and want to stay during the break make sure they have filled out a break contract.

Check up on your student during Finals Week. Ask them how they are doing.

December 17th is the final day to withdraw from fall 2015 classes.

Remind your student to register for spring classes. Classes start Wednesday, January 20, 2016

No your student will not have to move all of their belongs home for winter break.





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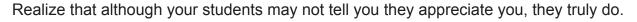
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Dec 27	28	29	30	31	Jan 1, 16 New Years Day OFFICES CLOSED	Women's Basketball @ UAF
3	4	5	6	7 Women's Basketball vs. SMU	8	9 Women's Basketball vs. SPU
10	11	12	13	14 Women's Basketball @ CONC	15	16 Women's Basketball @ WOU
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Resident Halls Open 9:00 am	Power of One Week events Offices Closed	Power of One Week events	Power of One Week events Classes Start	Power of One Week events Women's Basketball vs. WWU	Power of One Week events	Power of One Week events
24	25 Same Room Sign up	26 Open room sign up	27	28 Women's Basketball vs. UAF	Last day to change meal plan	30 Women's Basketball vs. UAA
31	Feb 1	2	3	4	5	6



PFP Reminders

Be there! Students will often turn to the safety of family when times are tough, and it is important to know that you will always remain close to them.

Encourage your student to share the good things that they are experiencing while they are at school.



The mid-winter blues can cause your student to be depressed, so be sure to support them.



February 2016



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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Jan 31	Feb 1 Housing Staff Hiring Social RHA Meeting 7:00pm	2 Winterfest Nominations	3 Winterfest Nominations	Winterfest Nominations Women's Basketball @ SPU	5 Winterfest Nominations	6 Women's Basketball @ SMU
7 last day for prorated room refunds	8 Winterfest	9 Winterfest	10 Housing Staff Hiring Social	11 Winterfest Court Anncouncement	12 Winterfest Dance	13 Women's Basketball vs. CONC
14	ASMSUB Senate Meeting 5:00pm Offices Closed	Registration for Summer session 2016 begins	17	18 Women's Basketball @ SFU	ASMSUB President/ VP/ Senator Applications due by 5pm	20 Women's Basketball @ WWU
21	ASMSUB Senate Meeting 5:00pm	23	24 Housing Staff Applications Due	25 Women's Basketball @ NNU	26	27 Women's Basketball @ CWU
28	ASMSUB Senate Meeting 5:00pm	Mar 1	2	3	4	5



PFP Reminders

Talk to your students to see what they are involved with on campus and attend events that they may be participating in.

Call your students occasionally about a visit and maybe a dinner out with a trip to the movies

Come to campus in the spring to visit your student and explore Billings!





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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Feb 28	29	Mar 1 National Women's History Month Softball @ SFU	2 Men's Basketball GNAC Championships Women's Basketball GNAC Championships	3 Men's Basketball GNAC Championships Women's Basketball GNAC Championships	Housing Staff announced Men's Basketball GNAC Championships	5 Baseball @ CWU Women's Basketball GNAC Championships
6 Irish American History Month Spring Break NO CLASSES-OFFICES OPEN	7 Spring Break NO CLASSES-OFFICES OPEN	8 Spring Break NO CLASSES-OFFICES OPEN	9 Spring Break NO CLASSES-OFFICES OPEN	Spring Break NO CLASSES-OFFICES OPEN	Men's Basketball NCAA West Regional Women's Basketball NCAA West Regional	Men's Basketball NCAA West Regional Women's Basketball NCAA West Regional
Daylight Savings Time Starts Men's Basketball NCAA West Regional	ASMSUB Senate Meeting 5:00pm Women's Basketball NCAA West Regional	15	Last Day to Drop classes without instructor permission (no refund)	17 St. Patrick's Day	Baseball vs. CONC Last day to apply to graduate Summer semester 2016 (not attending ceremony)	19 Baseball vs. CONC
20 Baseball vs. CONC	ASMSUB Senate Meeting 5:00pm	ASMSUB Spring Elections	ASMSUB Spring Elections	24 Spring Mini-Break NO CLASSES-OFFICES OPEN	25 Baseball vs. WOU	26 Baseball vs. WOU Softball @ CWU
27 Baseball vs. WOU	28 Summer Housing Applications Available Summer Housing Staff Social	29	ASMSUB Executive Cabinet Applications Due	31	Apr 1	2



PFP Reminders

Don't be afraid to let your students make a mistake. It will help their independence grow!

Give them time to find solutions to a problem in their own way while they are at college.

Let them make their own decisions.

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When you share your opinion, thoughts, and values with your students; encourage them to utilize on-campus resources, advisers, or support services.



April 2016

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Mar 27	28	29	30	31	Apr 1 Baseball @ SMU Sexual Assault Awareness Month	2 Baseball @ SMU
3 Baseball @ SMU	4 ASMSUB Senate Meeting 5:00pm	5	6	7 Blood Drive 10-3pm	48th Annual MSUB Powwow	9 48th Annual MSUB Powwow
10 Baseball vs. CWU	Summer Staff Applications Due	12 Leadership Recognition Program	13	Last day to drop classes with approval of advisor and course instrctor	Summer Staff Announcement	16 Baseball vs. NNU
17 Baseball vs. NNU	18 ASMSUB Senate Meeting 5:00pm	19 Housing Appreciation Dinner	20	21	22 Baseball @ CONC	23 Baseball @ CONC
24 Baseball @ CONC	25 Be Kind Week	26 Be Kind Week	27 Be Kind Week	28 Softball GNAC Championships	29 Baseball @ WOU VIP Book Buyback University Day - No Classes	30 Baseball @ WOU

PFP Reminders

Your student may be experiencing a great deal of independence for the first time. Some may handle this new found sense of independence well and get involved in activities and make friends; whereas others may find it challenging to adjust to a new environment.

Remember, although we want our students to call home everyday so we can hear about their triumphs and tribulations, there may be situations when they need to have some time to themselves.

Ask questions and offer advice, but avoid telling them what to do.

Tell your student you trust them to make the best decision or do the right thing

May 2016 \[\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc							
SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	
May 1 Baseball @ WOU	2 Book Buyback Please be out of the halls 24 hours after your last final	3 Book Buyback	4 Book Buyback	5 Book Buyback Final day to withdrawl from Spring 2016 (all classes, no refund)	6 Baseball @ SMU Halls close at NOON	7 Baseball @ SMU Graduation	
8 Baseball @ SMU	9	10	11 Grades due in the Registrar's Office	12	13	14	







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