

SOUTHERN WELCOME

2026 AGENDA

THURSDAY, AUGUST 13TH

Move-In

10:00 AM – 5:00 PM | Residence Life

Dinner on Your Own

5:00 - 6:30 PM

Varies (discounts available)

Pinning Ceremonies

6:30 - 7:00 PM

First Generation (TPAC) • Legacy (Alumni Mansion)

Convocation

7:30 - 8:30 PM | TPAC

Convocation Reception

8:30 PM | TPAC

CAB Glow Party

9:00 - 10:30 PM | SLC Yard



WELCOME TO THE
PRIDE!

FRIDAY, AUGUST 14TH

Meet Your Orientation Leader

10:30 AM | McCormick Common Area

Spirit Tunnel

11:00 AM

Class Photo

11:15 AM | Joplin Heart Mural

Minute to Win It

11:30 AM | Young Gym

Dining with the Deans

12:30 PM | Lion's Den

Faculty Forum / Student Voices Panel

1:30 PM | Webster; Corley Auditorium

Tech Savvy Lions

2:15 - 2:45 PM | Webster; Corley Auditorium

MOSO Mixer / Academic Dept. Open Houses

3:00 PM | Oval, Academic Buildings

Big Prize Bingo

4:00 PM | Beimdiek Rec Center Gym

Greek Life Event

6:00 PM | SLC

SATURDAY, AUGUST 15TH

Southern Serves:

Community Connection Project

8:45 AM | Various Community Locations

Lion's Amazing Race

5:30 PM | Billingsly Student Center; Fish Bowl

Scoop and Slice Social

6:30 PM | Fred G. Hughes Stadium

Rally the Pride

7:00 PM | Fred G. Hughes Stadium

Color Wars

7:30 PM | Fred G. Hughes Stadium

SUNDAY, AUGUST 16TH

Campus Craze

5:00 PM | Oval

Pennant Decorating

7:00 PM | Lion Village, 3rd Floor Lobby