

# Parent & Family NEWSLETTER

#### March

**Important Dates** 

Campus Life

Spring Break

2015-2016 Planning

**UAH Theatre** 

Charger Athletics



#### Campus Resources:

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## Spring Break Choices

Your student is probably counting down the seconds until Spring Break. College Spring Break is an exciting time, whether it comes with a week of relaxing from course work, catching up on large class projects, or an adventure with friends. Here at UAH, we want to make sure all of our students have a happy and safe bring break!



#### Travel

Is your student traveling during break? Read this helpful article from College Parents of America <u>here.</u> Helpful tips include:

- Have the address and local information for where your student is staying.
- Ask for additional contact information for the students traveling with your student.
- Remind your student to have an emergency number, their ID, and health insurance information in case of an accident.
- Remind your student when with friends "Go out with friends, go home with friends." Don't leave a friend behind and take personal responsibility for the safety of yourself and the group.

#### Campus

Is your student staying on-campus during the break?

- All university departments & offices are open for normal operations with the except of March 27, 2015.
- Each Residence Hall will remain open.
- Dining Services will be open on a modified schedule. Visit uah.edu/dining

Academics

#### Spring 2015

March 18 Last day to withdraw

March 23-28 Spring Break- No Classes

April 1
Registration for Summer
Semester

April 8 Registration for Fall Semester

April 25-May 1 Final Exams

May 3 Spring Graduation

#### **Campus Life Events**



3/3

Honors: Lunch & Learn w/Dr. Bunis

3/4

ACE: McVicar the Trickster

3/5

Eating Alabama: Film & Discussion

3/6-3/8

ACE Cinema: "Wizard of Oz" & "The Wiz"

3/7 Kappa Delta's "Shamrock

3/8 ACE

ACE Trip: "Wicked" in Atlanta, GA

Spring Break is a great time to catch up on coursework and their academic plans. If at home encourage your student to make the most of their time. This includes:

- Working on end of the term projects or papers
- Applying for on-campus leadership opportunities
- Researching summer internship and co-ops
- Updating their resume

Does your student still need plans? Tell them to checkout this Alternative Spring Break option provided by the Office of Student Life.





# Planning for the 2015-2016 Academic Year

#### **FAFSA**

Students must reapply each year for need-based aid with the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA). If a student has an application on file, renewing is simple. Go to <u>fafsa.gov</u> for more information.

Remember to have your student



3/10 Charger Choices presents Jason Kilmore.

3/11-3/22 UAH Theatre "A Midsummer Night's Dream"

3/12 Women's History Month Celebration

3/13-3/14 ChargerCon

3/15

ACE Cinema: "Dark Knight"

To see a complete list of events on-campus download our FREE app. Search "UAH Campus Life"

**#UAHSnow** 

Some of our students enjoying snow on-campus.

#### Greek Philanthropy

Our Fraternity and Sorority Life here at UAH is working hard during March and April to give back to our community. Checkout these great philanthropy events.

AKA
Donate A Can/One Million
Backpacks
All of March 2015

Kappa Delta Shamrock 5k National Children's Advocacy Center March 7, 2015 Greek Row

AOII
"Smoke out Arthritis"
National Arthritis
Foundation

update their FAFSA application as soon after January 1, 2015 as possible. 301 Sparkman Drive University Center, Room 212 Huntsville, AL 35899

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#### **Registration for Summer & Fall Classes**

Summer and Fall course registration begins in April. Encourage student to schedule an appointment with their advisor soon to discuss their academic plan.

#### **Housing & Residence Life**

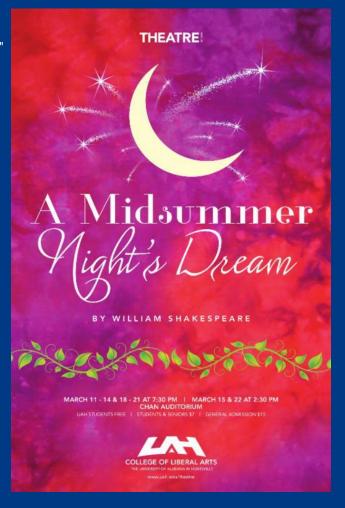
Students can signup for their Summer or Fall housing needs now. Visit **uah.edu/housing** for more information.



### **UAH Theatre "A Midsummer Night's Dream"**

UAH Theatre presents "A Midsummer Night's Dream," Shakespeare's popular comedy of magic of mayhem. An enchanted forest in a mythical Athens sets the stage for the adventures of four star-crossed lovers, a group of amateur actors, a duke and duchess, a handsome fairy king, a misguided parent, a weaver who's transformed into a half-donkey, wood sprites, and last but not least, Puck the

trickster elf who knows falling in love can make fools of us all. "A Midsummer Night's Dream" runsMarch 11-22 in Chan Auditorium on the UAH Campus. For more information, please call 256-824-6871, or visit uah.edu/theatre. This event is FREE to all UAH students.



March 13, 2015 Greek Row

#### ATO

"Battle of the Buffalo" Russell Hill Cancer Foundation April 11, 2015 Big Spring Park

# Questions about Family Programs?



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# Charger Athletics in March

Join the Chargers this month for Basketball, Hockey, Track, Softball, & Baseball! #ChargerPride

#### **Basketball**

The UAH men's basketball team has put together a strong season and has earned the right to host a Gulf South Conference tournament game on campus for the first time in program history! The Chargers are the top seed in the tournament and will look to survive and advance on Tuesday, March 3, at 7 p.m. at Spragins Hall when rival North Alabama visits, and the team would greatly appreciate your support! Students are FREE with their ID, while all other tickets are \$10.

#### **Baseball & Softball**

The weather is warming up. Remember to check our nationally ranked softball and baseball programs. Our No. 7 Softball team and our No. 6 Baseball team are in action against Shorter University (GSC game) on March 7 & March 8 at Charger Park.



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