

Family Weekend Schedule of Events

Friday, September 22, 2017

- 8:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. **Registration** Strauch Family Student Center, Lobby
Continental Breakfast Available
- 9:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. **President's Welcome**, Dr. Peter Eden Fine Arts Building, Greenhoe Theater
- **Overview of Degree Programs**, Dr. Gail Gibson Sheffield, Vice President for Academic Affairs
 - **Presentation on the Executive System of the Brain**, Dr. MacLean Gander, Faculty
- 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. **Parent/Student/Advisor Meetings**
By appointment: If your student has scheduled an introductory meeting with their advisor, they will have information regarding the appointment.
- 11:30 a.m. – 12:45 p.m. **What to Expect the First Year, A Follow-up** Administration Building, Auditorium
- Michael Luciani, Vice President for Student Affairs
- The transition to college is an eventful one with many clear benchmarks and milestones along the way. This workshop will review the patterns of a student's transition into college, and will make suggestions on how parents can support their son or daughter in making the transition. A brief overview of Landmark's support systems will be provided.*
- 11:30 a.m. – 12:45 p.m. **Tax Saving Opportunities Available to Landmark Parents and Students**, East Academic Building, Brooks O'Brien Auditorium
- Dino Koff, Financial Advisor Wilder Business Service
 - Russ North, Financial Advisor Wilder Business Service
- Because of the nature of Landmark College's comprehensive program, the cost of sending your student to Landmark may seem daunting. This session will show you real life examples of how to use the therapeutic tax deduction and various financial strategies to dramatically reduce tuition expenses.*
- 11:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m. **Lunch** Alumni Hall, Dining Hall

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- 1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. **College Fair**, Click Family Sports Center, Hosted by Career Connections
- Transfer admissions representatives from more than 35 colleges and universities, including Landmark, will be available to discuss bachelor and graduate degree options at their institutions. This fair is a great opportunity for students who are getting ready to graduate and are considering their next step. For students who are not as far along in their journey at Landmark, it's a chance to begin exploring possibilities. Everyone is welcome!
- 1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. **The Parenting Journey (continues)**, East Academic Building, Brooks O'Brien Auditorium
- The Counseling Services Staff
- Explore some of the challenges of effective communication with your college-aged children. We will review some of the pitfalls and offer some helpful tips. This is also a chance to share your experiences with other Landmark parents. For those parents who were at the Parenting Journey during orientation, join us and let us hear how things are going. **In order to create a comfortable environment for all participants, this session is for families only.**
- 2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. **Integrating Technology in Academics**, Nicole Goodner MacFarlane Science, Technology & Innovation Center, The Robert E. Lewis Family Auditorium
- Josh Maiocco, Educational Technologist
- There are many tools and strategies to aid students in the world of academics and beyond. In this presentation we will explore low-tech, mid-tech, and high-tech tools and strategies that are introduced to students in the Landmark classroom to aid with tasks such as organization, active reading, process writing, and notetaking. We will also discuss how students can get one-on-one support to explore the technology tools that will best fit their learning style, and integrate these tools into their daily activities.*
- 2:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m. **Demonstration Classes**
- (Schedule, locations, and sign-ups will be available at registration)
- One of Family Weekend's most popular activities, demonstration classes provide an opportunity for family members to experience Landmark's teaching methods firsthand.*
- 3:30 p.m. – 4:15 p.m. **Phi Theta Kappa Induction Ceremony**, Administration Building, Auditorium
- Stephen Glover, Chapter Advisor, Faculty
- Induction of new members into Phi Theta Kappa, Beta Epsilon Chapter, International Honor Society.*

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- 4:15 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. **Family Weekend Reception** Nicole Goodner MacFarlane Center, Lobby
Enjoy conversation and delicious hors d'oeuvres. This is good opportunity to meet Faculty, Staff, and other Landmark families.
- 5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. **Dinner** Alumni Hall, Dining Hall

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- 8:00 a.m. **Finn's Fun Run Registration**, Click Family Sports Center
Meet outside the Click Center to register for the Finn's 2017 Fun Run. This 2.3 mile run/walk is appropriate for all ages and skill levels. You may register on site if you did not register in advance. A parent or guardian's signature is required for anyone under 18 to participate.
- 9:00 a.m. **Finn's Fun Run Begins**, Click Family Sports Center
Spectators welcome!
- 9:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. **Registration for New Arrivals**, Strauch Family Student Center, Lobby
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- 10:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. **LCIRT Open House**, Room 103, Nicole Goodner MacFarlane Science, Technology and Innovation Center.
Come learn about cutting-edge educational technologies that support students who learn differently. These include a virtual reality demonstration (Oculus Rift/HTC Vive), attention-enhancing video game, 3D printed products, working memory instruments, and more! You'll also learn about how our current research is enhancing the Landmark College student experience.

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- 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. **Hasbro, Inc. Internship Opportunities**, East Academic Building, Brooks O’Brien Auditorium
- Bob Brown, Vice President of Creative Development Studios at Hasbro, Inc.
 - Jan Coplan, Director of Career Connections
- Bob Brown, parent of alumni Rachel Brown 16’, will provide an overview of the Hasbro internship program and the amazing opportunities it offers to Landmark College students across the company. Hasbro, located in Pawtucket, RI, has a well-established college internship program that allows Landmark students to earn college credit. Career Connections will also offer a brief overview of the internship for credit process at Landmark and the supports available to our students to apply to internships.*
- 12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. **BBQ Lunch, On the Quad**
- 12:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. **Homecoming, Quad & Campus Connections, ALL WELCOME**
- Join us as we welcome back our Alumni. There will be a lot of festivities on the quad for families to enjoy including a soccer game and BBQ! Please see the flyer for more details.*
- 1:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. **‘Machine Dreams’ Dave Cole/Fall 2017 Alumnus Art Exhibition & Reception**
Fine Arts Gallery
- Dave Cole is an alumnus of Landmark College, a graduate of Brown University and a prominent contemporary artist included in public and private collections worldwide. He has presented solo exhibitions at Mass MoCA, The Aldrich Contemporary Art Museum, The Norton Museum of Art, The Norwegian National Gallery and, most recently, Brown University’s David Winton Bell Gallery, which presented a multi-venue mid-career retrospective of Cole’s work.*
- 2:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m. **Career Connections: Planning for the Next Step**, East Academic Building, Brooks O’Brien Auditorium
- Jan Coplan, Director of Career Connections
 - Jessica Nelson, Associate Director of Career Connections
 - Lucy Stamp, Career Advisor
- It’s never too early to plan for the future! With that in mind, this session will provide an introduction to Career Connections at Landmark and resources available to students. You will have an opportunity to learn about the transfer process, and how our office works with students when preparing for an internship or employment after college. This session is open to all students and families who would like to know more about what we have to offer. Students are encouraged to attend with their families.
- 2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. **Soccer Game & Celebration of the Charles Drake Field.**

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Landmark College vs. Bennington College

2:30 p.m. – 3:45 p.m.

Study Abroad Opportunities, Administration Building, Auditorium

- Dr. Peg Alden, Director of International Programs

Learn about Landmark College's J-Term and summer study abroad opportunities in Europe, Latin America, The Caribbean, Africa, and the Pacific Rim. A panel of study abroad directors will be sharing highlights and answering questions about upcoming programs.

Times and locations are subject to change. Please register in the Strauch Family Student Center upon arrival to campus to pick up a schedule and guide to family weekend.