

Fall Semester Begins August 31st

Move in begins for freshmen on Thursday, August 27, 2009. Cross Campus Drive will be essentially closed to thru traffic going one way from York to Osler. There may be some backing on Osler for West Village during peak times.

2003 Campus Master Plan Update Process Continues

- USM Board of Regents (Finance Committee)-August 20th - UMCP Union, 10 a.m.
- USM Board of Regents Presentation - September 18th
- USM Board of Regents Finance Committee- October 1st
- USM Board of Regents - October 23rd

Phase 3: Final Plan- July 2009 – October 2009

June/July 2009	Incorporate constituent feedback into final plan update
August 20 th	Board of Regents (Finance Committee) presentation
September	Incorporate BOR feedback into final plan update document
October	Post final plan summary on University Web site.

Community Relations Website Coming Soon:

- Connect TU Community Newsletter; TU Community Outreach Efforts; Enrollment & Housing Data for TU Main Campus; TU Traffic/Parking/Construction/Student Behavior Reports; TU University Calendar of Events; TU Housing Information; Glossary of Terms

New Off-Campus Shuttle Bus Routes (for Fall 2009)

- Cockeysville Route (2 mid-size buses) up to Padonia Road to Cranbrook Road (7am-7pm M-F).
- Timonium Park and Ride.
- Campus shuttles do not operate during the summer, over breaks or when the university is closed for a holiday or inclement weather

University Relations Progress

- TU is working with Towson Manor Village this fall on a Community Mediation Pilot Program. We hope to use this program to facilitate discussions between neighbors and students before conflict occurs and additionally to assist in resolving conflicts when appropriate. The facilitator would be from a county or non-profit organization in the county.
- TU is in the early stages of a pilot Community Ambassador program for the fall 2009 geared to improve relations among TU students and neighbors in Towson Manor Village. Contact studentaffairs@towson.edu

Off-Campus Behavior/Disorderly House Statistics

- **Total for Academic 2008-2009 School Year (August 2009):** 83 Total Complaints Received; 48 Address of Given a First Warning; 35 Addresses of Students Receiving Judicial Charges for Off-Campus Disorderly Behavior; 76 Students Receiving Judicial Charges. This is the exact same amount at 2007-2008 between August and May.

TUPD

Grant for Baltimore County Police Department Off-Duty Office Hires

- **Towson University will provide Off-Duty police officer grant funding for community patrolling** for every weekend from opening weekend on Friday, August 28th through Homecoming Weekend, Oct. 17th and then again on Halloween.

- During the 2009-2010 Academic Year Towson University will continue to provide grant funding to the Baltimore County Police Department for additional hires of off-duty officers for special event weekends. To date TU has provided additional neighbor patrols during Homecoming, Halloween, Superbowl Sunday, and Preakness Saturday.

Current Campus Construction:

- **Campus Site & Safety Improvements – Phase 1: Summer 2008-Fall 2011** - The campus site and safety improvement project encompasses improvements and renovations to infrastructure on the campus's main academic quad, including utilities, roads, lighting, pedestrian circulation and ADA improvements.
- **College of Liberal Arts - Phase 2: Underway** – With the first 100,000 square feet complete and opening Fall 2009, the second phase of the 250,000 square-foot project is now underway. CLA is TU's first new academic building in 20 years. An open house, with self-guided tours is open to the public on **Friday, September 25, 2009 between 3-5 p.m.**
- **West Village Commons - Underway** – Broke ground in July on the West Village Commons building. It is an 85,000 gross square foot dining, retail, meeting, office and other student service space to support and enhance the living and learning environment of the current and projected residential population in the West Village.

Upcoming Campus Events at Towson Center and Unitas Stadium

• TU Convocation	TC Arena	8/28/09	4pm-5pm
• Gilman vs. Bear Creek (Colorado) Football Game	Unitas Stadium	9/4/09	7pm-10pm
• Wellness Center Walk	Unitas Stadium	9/13/09	7am-2pm
• TU vs. Coastal Carolina	Unitas Stadium	9/19/09	7:00 p.m.
• Villa Maria Walk	Unitas Stadium	9/20/09	7am-2pm
• Bands of America	Unitas Stadium	10/10/09	8am - 11pm
• Homecoming Concert	TC Arena	10/11/09	7pm-10pm
• NRG Networking Event http://www.networkreferralgroup.com/	TC Arena	10/15/09	6pm-10pm
• TU Football Homecoming	Unitas Stadium	10/17/2009	3:30 p.m. Kick Off
• USSBA Band Competition	Unitas Stadium	10/24/09	9am – 11pm
• Baltimore Co Band Competition	Unitas Stadium	10/25/09	2pm-8pm

2009 Tiger Football Cost-Cutter Promotions!

- **September 19 vs. Coastal Carolina:** Alumni Discount, **Towson Day Discount**, TU Friends & Family Discount
- **October 3 vs. New Hampshire:** Baltimore County Discount, Family Weekend Discount, Youth Football/Cheerleader Discount, H.S. Band Day (Free) Family Pack Offer*
- **October 31 vs. Richmond:** Free Admission for Kids w/ a Paying Adult, Alumni Discount
- **November 14 vs. Villanova:** Food Drive Discount, Family Pack Offer*, Veterans Discount
**Family Pack includes 4 tickets, 4 hotdogs, 4 drinks for \$40 (advance or \$50 game day)*

Center for the Arts Performances and Events <http://www.towson.edu/artscalendar/index.asp>

• Painter Antonio Puri Lecture	CFA Room 2032	9/10/09	6:30 p.m.
• Art & Design, Art History, Art Education Faculty Exhibition: New Works	CFA Gallery	9/11/09-10/1/09	
• Pintura Fresca: Contemporary Abstract Artists	CFA Holtzman MFA Gallery	9/11/09-10/3/09	
• Furniture for the Divine: Selections from the Foo Collection	CFA Asian Arts Gallery	9/12/09-12/12/09	
• Saturday Science Presents: The Rovers on Mars	Smith Hall Room 326	9/12/09	10:00a.m.& noon
• Faculty Recital: Christopher Dillon Performs the Classics	CFA Recital Hall	9/13/09	3:00p.m.
• Fall Film Festival Series 20th Anniversary	Van Bokkelen Hall Auditorium, Every Monday night beginning 9/12/09, 7:30p.m.		
• Creating Music I	CFA Recital Hall	9/14/09	8:15p.m.
• The Matt Williams Quartet	CFA Recital Hall	9/17/09	8:15p.m.
• United States Navy Band	CFA Harold J. Kaplan Concert Hall	9/18/09	8:15p.m.