WHERE'S TOMMY?
USC Welcome Week 2008
George Tirebiter was a shaggy mutt who, for a few glorious years in the '40s and '50s, became a beloved Trojan mascot. His feisty personality made him a student favorite as he chased cars and bit tires along Trousdale Parkway. Sometime in 1947, he was dog-napped by the Bruins, his fur shaved to say "UCLA," and covered in honey and feathers. A new sculpture (2006) at Bloom Walk...
MOVE-IN DAY

Aloha Welcome!

7:00am-9:00am, University Religious Center (URC)

A fresh “meet, eat, and greet” for Asian Pacific Islander families and students with an aloha twist. Get to know staff, alumni, and current USC students! Sponsored by the Asian Pacific American Student Services (APASS), the Ohana Faculty and Staff Club, USC Hawai‘i Club, Asian Pacific Islander Faculty/Staff Network, and the Asian Pacific Alumni Association. Admission is free. Please RSVP at http://alumni.usc.edu/2008alohawelcome.

Find Tirebiter!

Move-in/la Bienvenida: Latino Floors

8:00am-5:00pm, Fluor Tower lounge (Latino Floors are floors 6-7)

Mingle and get to know USC faculty, staff and student leaders. A warm welcome with free refreshments all day long. Brought to you by El Centro Chicano, Latino Floors, and the Latina/o Student Assembly.

You can’t move-in on an empty stomach!

11:00am-1:00pm, McCarthy Quad

A lunch can be purchased in McCarthy Quad from 11:00am-1:00pm. Grab some lunch, relax a bit, and enjoy the sounds of live music sponsored by USC Spectrum.

Parents welcome reception

12:30pm-2:30pm, Davidson Conference Center

The USC Parents Council and the Office for Parent Programs would love to meet you on Move-In Day. Please drop by when you have time to take a break. We will have light refreshments—lemonade, water, and cookies. We look forward to welcoming you for the 2008-09 academic year.

Interfraternity Council (IFC) Symposium for Parents

4:00pm-5:00pm, SGM 123

Come join us for an hour long session as to what IFC has been working on the past semester and is planning for the future months. Also, for the last half-hour, members of IFC along with the President of the IFC Parents Club and newly initiated brothers will be entertaining any questions you wish to ask. We hope to see you there.

Parents bon voyage reception

5:00pm-7:00pm, Associates Park (North Side)

It’s time to say farewell. The University understands what an emotional time this is for you and we want to ensure you that your student is now with capable and compassionate staff members. This is an opportunity for you to meet the staff members who will be working with your student. Please join the staff of the Division of Student Affairs at this farewell reception.

Not only has President Steven B. Sample been the driving force behind USC’s unprecedented gain in academic stature since 1991, but he also invented a digital electronic control system that has been installed behind the touch panels of more than 500 million microwave ovens and other home appliances worldwide. So if you’ve got one in your new dorm or are bringing one from home, chances are you already own a piece of USC innovation.

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As of 2007, USC’s student body encompasses 7,115 international students, more than any other university in the United States, and the university maintains offices in several countries. There are more than 194,000 living Trojan Alumni and you’ll soon join them!

FIND WHERE YOUR CLASSES WILL BE HELD
Before the first day of classes, you may want to take a stroll to each building where you’ll have class. You will then know how long it takes you to get to class, as well as familiarize yourself with the campus. The locations for your classes are listed in the Schedule of Classes and on your registration confirmation.

REQUIREMENTS
Students carrying 6 units or more, International Students and students enrolled on the USC Student Health Insurance Plan. For details on this plan and waiver information, please e-mail uscins@usc.edu or visit www.usc.edu/uphc.

DO YOU HAVE HEALTH INSURANCE?
The University requires that all students have supplemental health insurance. Students carrying 6 units or more, International Students and students enrolled on the USC Student Health Insurance Plan. For details on this plan and waiver information, please e-mail uscins@usc.edu or visit www.usc.edu/uphc.

CHECK OUT THE LIBRARIES
Library accounts are automatically created for all currently enrolled students by using your USC 10-digit student identification number for use at all USC libraries. Library accounts for the new borrowers will be automatically activated 24 hours after creation of their USC student ID. Privileges are valid for one semester, but will be extended automatically if students continue to enroll. If borrowing account is not automatically created or extended for any reason, students must present their USC student ID with verification of registration for the current semester.

CHECKING ACCOUNT
Some places in Los Angeles do not take out-of-state checks, so make it easy on yourself and open a local account. You can contact our USC Credit Union located in King Hall, or the closest bank to campus, Bank of America located in the University Village.

GET A LOCAL PO BOX
You may be moving frequently throughout your first year here, so why not alleviate the many headaches of getting your mail securely where you want it. PO Boxes are available for purchase at the USC Mail Stop in PSA or at the neighborhood US Post Office on the corner of Vermont Ave and W. 36th St.

DECORATE YOUR ROOM
Stop by the poster table in front of the Student Union to pick up all types of posters to plaster your room. The sale runs through the first week of classes.

PARTICIPATE IN WELCOME WEEK ACTIVITIES
Be sure to attend the activities listed in this brochure. You’ll have fun and meet new people at USC!

LOCATION
The Office of Religious Life can connect you with any of USC’s 70+ student religious organizations covering the spectrum of world faiths, and also with diverse local places of worship. The Religious Life staff warmly welcomes students of all faith or none to drop in at any time to explore the spiritual dimensions of life and learning, or to see which group might be a good match. Check out our event on Sunday, August 24. For more info please visit www.usc.edu/religion.

REGISTER TO VOTE!
There will be a voter registration drive occurring throughout Welcome Week. Voter registrations forms will be available at several locations around campus and at various events and activities. You can register to vote online and get absentee information at https://calvoter.org/compress/voterreg/.
Until 1912, USC students (especially athletes) were unofficially known as Fighting Methodists or Wesleyans. During a fateful track and field meet with Stanford University, the USC team was beaten early and seemingly conclusively. After only the first few events, it was statistically impossible for USC to win; however, the team fought back, winning many of the later events, to lose only by a slight margin. After the contest, Los Angeles Times sportswriter Owen Bird reported that the USC athletes “fought on like Trojans,” and the president of the university at the time, George F. Bovard, approved the “Trojans” name officially.

ORIENTATION FOR STRUCTURED CURRICULUM PROGRAM (SCP) PARTICIPANTS
SESSION 1, Thursday, August 21, 2008
3:00-5:00pm, VIG 154
Attendance at one of the two orientation sessions being offered during Welcome Week is mandatory. For more information contact SCP at (213) 740-8202 or scp.program@usc.edu.

“SPARK!” 3RD ANNUAL VISIONS AND VOICES MULTIMEDIA SHOWCASE
4:30pm, Bovard Auditorium
Kick off the year with an arts extravaganza! This event will feature a welcome by Provost C. L. Max Nikias; breakout sessions with current student leaders to learn more about how to get involved, the benefits of involvement, and the hundreds of involvement opportunities at USC. Sponsored by the Peer Leadership Consultants and Campus Activities.

Academic Success Seminar
8:30am-10:00am, SOM 124
Learn to study effectively through organization and learning strategies. Practical suggestions for goal setting, study reading, note taking, preparing for and taking exams, time management, and avoiding procrastination for personal learning will be discussed. For a listing of other Learning Enrichment workshops please check www.usc.edu/logon/digest visit us at STU 301, or call (213) 740-0776 to learn more information about the Center for Academic Support and the programs and services that are provided.

LEARNING COMMUNITIES LUNCHEON
11:30am-1:00pm, Associates Park
You’re invited! Join us for lunch, and meet the Learning Communities faculty, staff, and peer mentors. Learning Communities are student programs who share similar academic interests, and enroll in two courses (one General Education and one major or minor introductory course) in groups of up to 20 students. All USC College students are welcome.

FIRST-YEAR EXPERIENCE PROGRAMS
11:30am-1:15pm, SOM 124
The Division of Student Affairs has created the First-Year 15 Program, 15 thematic areas that aim to create awareness of university programs and resources. In addition, Residential Education offers My Freshman Success programming website and year-long series. Both programs help you learn to take advantage of all of USC resources. Learn more about these programs and how to earn prizes. Lunch is provided.

HOW TO GET AN “F” ON AN “A” PAPER
1:00pm-2:00pm, SOM 124
Missed us at Orientation? This workshop is designed to introduce students to understanding issues of academic integrity. In addition to reviewing case issues referred to judicial affairs, participants will engage in constructive discussion to share your ideas on how to foster a culture of academic standards.

The successful integration of first year students is vital to their success in college education. Research shows students who learn the ropes through the university and utilize its resources are more likely to persist, and gain more satisfaction, and earn their degrees at a faster rate. As a result, FIS has identified fifteen thematic areas that aim to create awareness of university programs and resources, and engage the first-year students so they can take advantage of all the resources available to them. FIS is designed to help first year students unlock the secrets to success at USC. To view the programs within each thematic area log on to www.usc.edu/fis. All students successfully completing at least one program within each thematic area by Oct. 17, 2008 become eligible for prizes, including two $200 prizes in Discretionary and signed USC sports memorabilia. Please visit the website for more information.

THE FIRST YEAR FIFTEEN
COMPLETE FIS BEFORE OCT. 17 AND BECOME ELIGIBLE TO WIN ONE OF THESE PRIZES...

1. Academic Engagement  8. Civic Engagement
3. Anxality  10. Internship
4. Anxiety & Mental Health  11. Leadership Development
6. Campus Safety  13. Peer Mentorship
15. Trojan Spirit

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GET STARTED/ GET CONNECTED:
AN INTRODUCTION TO USC LIBRARIES, COMPUTING AND INFORMATION SERVICES
9:00am-10:15am, 12:00pm-1:15pm
1:30pm-2:45pm, 3:00pm-4:15pm
Leavy Library Auditory
Want to know how to activate your USC computer account, connect to the Internet through USC, and do research using the USC Libraries’ digital and print collections? Then don’t miss this opportunity to learn how to use these essential tools right away.

WELCOME WEEK MICRO-SERMONS
10:00am-11:30am (Part 1 of 2), Various rooms throughout campus
Ensure a good start to your academic experience—join one of our Welcome Week Micro-Seminars. Micro-Seminars offer an informal introduction to college-level discussions and an opportunity to explore a subject of mutual interest with a member of the University community who chooses a great deal about it. To sign up, or learn more about these two-day, 90-minute seminars, go to www.usc.edu

PRESIDENTIAL & TRUSTEES SCHOLAR ORIENTATION
1:30pm-3:30pm, Founder's Park
All new Presidential and Trustee Scholars are required to attend this introductory session. You will meet your academic and fellow scholars, find out about important scholarship policies, and learn more about programs offered to the student organization, Associated Trustee and Presidential Scholars (ATPS).

HOW TO GET INVOLVED
2:30pm-3:30pm, SOM 124
Co-curricular involvement is an important part of any student's college experience. Getting involved with organizations and activities gives you the opportunity to meet new people, learn new skills, participate in all kinds of activities, and enhance your leadership skills. This seminar will allow you to meet with current student leaders to learn more about how to get involved, the benefits of involvement, and the hundreds of involvement opportunities at USC. Sponsored by the Peer Leadership Consultants and Campus Activities.

REASSESSMENT OF PREDISCUSSION CURRICULUM PROGRAM (SCP) PARTICIPANTS
SESSION 2, Friday, August 22, 2008
2:00pm-4:00pm, VIG 154
Attendance at one of the two orientation sessions being offered during Welcome Week is mandatory. For more information contact SCP at (213) 740-8202 or scp.program@usc.edu.
Movies filmed at USC include *Cold Creek Manor*, *The Girl Next Door*, *Harold & Kumar Go to White Castle*, *Blue Chips*, *Ghostbusters*, *Live Free or Die Hard*, *The Number 23*, and *The Graduate*. TV shows that have used the USC campus include *24*, *Alias*, *The West Wing*, *Undeclared*, *The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air*, *House*, *Saved by the Bell: The College Years*, and *Gilmore Girls*.

**GERONTOLOGY WELCOME: COOL OFF IN THE COURTYARD**
11:30am, Stever Courtyard at Andrus Center
1:00pm-3:00pm, SOS Courtyard (presentation in SOS B44 at 1:30pm)
We will give a brief overview of the Honors program, the IML facilities, and an introduction to key IML staff and faculty. Attendees will have an opportunity to speak with current student leaders, learn about getting involved in Viterbi student organizations, interact with faculty from each engineering department, and be in the class photo!

**MARSHALL SCHOOL OF BUSINESS NEW STUDENT WELCOME**
12:00am-2:00pm, The Breezeway between HOH & BRI
Please join us for an informal reception and an opportunity to meet Marshall School of Business faculty, staff, fellow students, and student organization representatives.

**THORNTON SCHOOL OF MUSIC NEW STUDENT LUNCHEON**
12:00am-2:00pm, Alfred Newman Recital Hall and Herklotz Ctyd
Join us for a welcome Indiana Jones-style for all new undergraduate music students to our new undergraduate music students to our new Undergraduate Honors program! Meet the faculty, staff, and current undergraduate artists. A unique lunch for all new undergraduate artists. Come meet other new students, faculty and returning students.

**USC SCHOOL OF THEATRE BBQ**
12:00am-2:00pm, CCC Bldg. 102
Welcome to the USC School of Theatre! Meet the faculty and staff, and enjoy a delicious barbecue lunch! Bring a lawn chair or blanket, and enjoy our beautiful USC campus facilities! Meet the Dean, and staff, and enjoy your lunch with fellow students.

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**FUTURE INNOVATORS WELCOME RECEPTION**
2:00pm-4:00pm, Hughes Electrical Engineering Building (EEB) Suite 131
Do you know where MySpace started? Where the cotton T-shirt was invented? Or where the 2008 most downloaded game on the PlayStation Network got its start at USC! The USC Stevens Institute for Innovation invites all incoming students to the Future Innovators Welcome Reception. Meet and mingle with USC innovators, experience with ground-breaking technology, and enjoy free food and drinks while learning more about innovation at USC.

**HONORS IN MULTIMEDIA SCHOLARSHIP ORIENTATION & ICE CREAM SOCIAL**
2:00pm-4:00pm, IML building
Meet in front of Denny’s on Hoover at 2pm or 3pm for a guide to your building. We will give a brief overview of the Honors program, the IML facilities, and an introduction to key IML staff and faculty at 2:15pm and at 3:15pm. We will welcome all students who are new to the Honors program enrolled in IML 101. For fall 2008, and any students interested in the Honors program for spring 2009 to join us at the IML for this event. Please RSVP to Angela at (213) 742-1621.

**GET TO KNOW YOUR ACADEMIC COMMUNITIES**
majors, learn more about the student organization, activities, events, internships, study abroad, resources and staying connected.

**PERSONALIZED CAMPUS TOURS**
9:00am-2:00pm, HSS 100
1:00pm-2:00pm, Location TBA
Reserve your schedule and books, and you are ready to go! Do you know where you are going? Bring this class schedule to Haas & Stanley Hall for a Peer Leadership Consultant or Orientation Advisor to show you exactly where all of your classes are located and answer any of your last minute questions.

**THEMATIC OPTION HONORS PROGRAM ORIENTATION**
8:30am-10:00am, Location TBA
Orientation and first meeting with faculty for Thematic Option Students. For more information, call the College Undergraduate Programs office at (213) 740-2961.

**SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE**
NEW STUDENT WELCOME 11:30am-1:30pm, Watt Hall Courtyard
A welcome lunch for newly-admitted architecture students. Come meet other new students, faculty and returning students.

**SCHOOL OF POLICY, PLANNING, AND DEVELOPMENT OPEN HOUSE**
SESSION 1 8:30am-10:00am, RES I 307
Welcome to SPDP! Join faculty, staff, and other students for great food and conversation. Newly-admitted students and all others interested in the areas of government, healthcare, urban planning, public policy, and real estate development are welcome to attend.

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10:00am-11:30am (Part 2 of 2)
Various rooms throughout campus (see email)
An informal introduction to college-level discussions and an opportunity to explore a subject of mutual interest with a member of the University community who knows a great deal about it. To sign up, or learn more about these two- day, 90-minute seminars, go to www.usc.edu/e/ucac.
THE 13TH ANNUAL FRIENDS AND NEIGHBORS
COMMUNITY SERVICE DAY
8:00am Registration, Alumni Park
9:00am Campus Quest
2:00pm Lunch, Alumni Park
Meet at Alumni Park for the 13th Annual Friends and Neighbors Day, a fun-filled day that takes students, alumni, faculty, and staff into the community to work with neighborhood non-profit agencies on a variety of community service projects. In addition, there are opportunities for students to have a one-on-one conversation with a faculty member and an unparalleled opportunity to explore themes of social justice and service. If you are interested in this, look for projects labeled as USC/CCP Projects. Continental Breakfast and on-site registration begins at 8:00am. Everyone will leave campus by 10:00am and will return around 2:00pm for lunch. To register and get first choice of projects, visit usc.edu/ccp and follow the link to “Friends and Neighbors Day.” For more information, e-mail volctr@usc.edu or call (213) 740-5656.

WELCOME BACK
FALL CARNIVAL
5:00pm-7:00pm, McCarthy Quad
Before the rally, come to the carnival and enjoy acting like a kid again! Ride classic carnival rides, eat cotton candy and snow cones while watching those carnival games you remember from your childhood.

WELCOME BACK RALLY AND CONCERT
7:00pm, Galen Center
Following the rally with the Trojan Marching Band, get ready for some intense music. There will be also be free giveaways! Brought to you by the USC Program Board. Call (213) 740-5656 for more information.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 24
WELCOME WEEK HIKES
8:00am
Explore the great outdoors around Los Angeles with other USC students. Arrange a LEAD and Rec Sports are sponsoring local hikes led by members of SC Outfitters. To see hike descriptions, detailed information, and reserve your spot visit usc.edu/outdoors.

SHOPPING SHUTTLES
9:00am, 10:00am, 11:00am from MBF building
Forgot something? Want new things for your room or apartment? Hop on one of our trams to a nearby Target store. Shuttles depart from the School of Social Work (MRF) at 9:00am, 10:00am, and 11:00am. Shuttle depart from Target at 10:30am, 11:30am, and 12:30pm. Shuttles are filled through reservations. Space is limited, RSVP required at usc.edu/reslife.

UNITY THROUGH COMMUNITY:
BLACK AND LATINO NEW STUDENT WELCOME
9:00am-4:00pm, Founders Park
Sunday before classes start, get to know other new students. Participate in workshops tailored to help you succeed at USC, meet student leaders, sign up for clubs and organizations, and eat great food. FREE event! Please visit usc.edu/ccp or usc.edu/black-student-life/ for additional information.

ASIAN PACIFIC AMERICAN STUDENT WELCOME
9:00am-3:00pm, Taper Hall
Get a head start! An exciting orientation program for new Asian Pacific American (APA) undergraduate students to get the on-campus and community life. Connect with other incoming APA students, teachers, leaders, alumni, faculty, staff, and community members. Close out the day with the largest APA involvement fair, featuring student and community organizations! Branch is included with registration. Sponsored by the Asian Pacific American Student Services (APASS) Department. For more information, e-mail rachel13@usc.edu or call (213) 740-4999 or register at usc.edu/apass.

BEACH SHUTTLES
10:00am, 11:00am, from MBF building
Take advantage of our free shuttle service to Venice Beach and enjoy a day in the California sun. Shuttles depart from the School of Social Work (MRF) at 10:00am and 11:00am. Shuttle departs from Venice at 1:30pm and 2:30pm. Space on the shuttle is limited. Please visit usc.edu/outdoors to reserve your space on the beach shuttle.

TOMMY’S CAMPUS QUEST
2:00pm, Tommy Trojan
Join us for a campus wide scavenger hunt. Learn more about some of the best kept secret spots on campus, meet new people, and win great prizes. Bring friends with you to form a team or we will help you join a team and you can make some new friends.

LGBT & ALLY
WELCOME BACK BARBECUE
4:00pm, Alumni Park
The LGBT and Ally Community invite you to attend our Annual Welcome Back Barbeque to meet fellow LGBT and Ally students, faculty, and staff. Come enjoy terrific food, music, and company! Make connections that will last throughout your college experience! Brought to you by the Gay Lesbian Bisexual Transgender Alliance (SLTGAT) and the LGBT Resource Center, this is the most popular and highly attended event of the fall semester. You have to make an appearance. For more information please contact the LGBT Resource Center at (213) 740-7619 or e-mail lgbt@usc.edu. Or check us out online at www.usc.edu/lgbt.

USC FRATERNITY BBQ
4:30pm-6:30pm, McCarthy Quad
Come to the first of fall fl ash as the Interfraternity Council presents a BBQ with All twenty of its fraternities. Joining a fraternity is the best decision you will make in your time at USC, and this is the perfect time to start. Do not delay! The Greek community is very important at this university—let us introduce ourselves to you! Please visit our website at USGusc.org to register for fraternity recruitment and learn more about greek life at USC.

THE 8TH ANNUAL TROJAN FAMILY PINNING & AFFIRMATION CEREMONY...
“LEADING THE FUTURE THROUGH OUR LEGACIES”
5:00pm-7:00pm, Argue Plaza
Join us as students, faculty, and staff as we welcome our newest members of the Trojan Family. Our goal is to share the legacy our African American students are inheriting and make them aware of the wonderful support system available to them as they begin to add their own accomplishments and endeavors to the rich heritage we enjoy. Reservations required. Please call the Office of Black Alumni Programs at (213) 740-4432 by Friday, August 8, 2008, 12:00pm. Hosted by the USC Black Alumni Association.

WELCOME BACK COMEDY SHOW
7:00pm, McCarty Quad
UCS new students are invited to “Party with the President” in McCarty Quad. Faculty, students, and staff will feast on a meal prepared by the Everybody’s Kitchen dining staff. Everybody’s Kitchen will not provide meals in the dining hall tonight, so bring your USCard and join us in the Quad. Don’t miss the largest and grandest BBQ of the year! Tickets may be purchased in advance through this annual address to all new students. This traditional event features a welcome from President Steven Sample and a celebration of the beginning of your academic year.

MONDAY, AUGUST 25
NEW STUDENT CONVOCATION
5:00pm-6:00pm, Alumni Park
Your entry into the Trojan family begins with this annual address to all new students. This event features a welcome from President Steven Sample and a celebration of the beginning of your academic year.

WELCOME CELEBRATION AND BBQ
4:00pm-6:00pm, Alumni Park
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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 27
STUDENT INVOLVEMENT FAIR
11:00am-2:00pm, Trousdale Parkway
Want to get involved on campus but not sure where to start? The involvement fair should be one of your first stops! Representatives from over 300 student organizations and a number of university departments will be on hand to answer any questions you may have about getting involved at USC.

COMMITTER AND TRANSFER STUDENT PICNIC
12:00pm-2:00pm, Alumni Park
Aloha! Don’t miss out on this unique opportunity to meet fellow commuter and transfer students. Learn about the different ways to get involved on campus or in the community. Commuters—you might find a quicker route to campus. Transfers—come and meet new USC students just like you. You are welcomed with flower leis, free food, tropical drinks, and terrific company. Sponsored by Undergraduate Student Government.

THE SPIRIT CODE –
I treat all fans, students, staff, players, coaches, and officials in a respectful and courteous manner – win or lose/home or away.

Always do your best to live up to the high standards of the Trojan Family.

Remember that you are responsible for your actions and how they may affect other fans and athletes, as well as the University.

Avoid making negative remarks or gestures that disrespect opponents, their fans, and their institutions.

Never forget the ideals of a Trojan – ambitious, courageous, faithful, scholarly, and skillful. Always do your best to win.

The USC/CCP Programs Office and the University reserve the right to cancel or modify events. Check us out online at usc.edu/ccc. For more information, please call (213) 740-5656.

Ongoing and Upcoming Events
There have been more Trojans in the Olympics than from any other university in the world—in fact, if USC were its own nation in the Olympics, it would rank tied for 11th in the world in total gold medals earned. In the track and field championships, 86 men’s (including a national-best 73 NCAA titles) and 20 women’s, than all but two other schools.

BLACK WELCOME WEEK 2008
August 29—September 14
Black Welcome Week is a collaborative effort between the Center for Black Cultural and Student Affairs (CBSA), the Black Student Assembly (BSA), and the Black Student Organizations. It consists of activities planned to welcome new black students to the Trojan Family. This year, Black Welcome Week will begin on August 29th with the “CBSA Open House” in STU 415 and conclude on Sunday, September 14. Please visit the Center for Black Cultural and Student Affairs (CBSA) website for the most up-to-date information at www.usc.edu/cbsa or call (213) 740-8257.

BLACK WELCOME WEEK MIXER & DANCE PARTY
September 3  3:30 pm
Community Room
Come celebrate the beginning of the school year with your LGBT and Ally Community. No one can party like we can. Meet new people, make new friends and have a ton of fun! There will be great music, amazing food and good times! This event is open to all students.

PAPER & PENCIL MATH AND FOREIGN LANGUAGE PLACEMENT TESTS
MATHEMATICS
August 20 & 21  1:00 pm
TH210
Students must take a mathematics placement test and have not done so already should plan on taking the test during one of these times. Please bring USC ID and a #2 pencil. For information on majors that require courses in math or science, please visit www.usc.edu/registration.

FOREIGN LANGUAGE PLACEMENT TEST
August 20 & 21  2:00 pm
TH210
Students required to take a Foreign Language Placement Test to determine placement should plan on taking the test during one of these times. Please bring USC ID and a #2 pencil. For information on majors that require courses in a foreign language, please visit www.usc.edu/registration.

STUDENT ORGANIZATION INFORMATION
Interested in joining an organization? Visit the Center for Student Involvement in Hazel & Stanley Hall (HSH) 100 and find out about over 650 different student organizations active on the campus. Or look them up on the web at www.usc.edu/studentorgs.

HEALTH RESOURCE ROOM
Monday–Friday  8:30 am–5:00 pm
Student Health Center (SHC) 206
Stop by the HPR Resource Room and pick up Cold Care Packs, Bandages and TYLENOL, check out a stethoscope, chat with a nurse practitioner, and pick up self-care supplies. Call (213) 740-4764 for more information.

CAMPUS TOURS
Monday–Friday, every hour on the hour from 10:00 am–3:00 pm. No tours on Move-In Day. Tours begin at the Admission Center, Trojan Hall, Room 101. How do you see and hear about my beautiful new campus? Walking tours (50 minutes) of the campus are led by members of the Guest Relations Staff. Reservations are strongly recommended and can be made by calling (213) 740-4605 or you can view dates at www.usc.edu/visitus.

THE LYON CENTER
Check with the Lyon Center staff regarding scheduled activities, including recreational facilities, intramural leagues, and tournaments, pools, club sports sign-ups, aerobic class schedules, and personal trainer information. Call (213) 740-5127 or sign up online at www.usc.edu/lyoncenter.

CAMPUS ACTIVITIES & CENTER FOR STUDENT INVOLVEMENT OPEN HOUSE August 29 12:00–2:00 pm, Tommy Trojan
All incoming students are welcome to stop by for free food and information about the Emerging Leader Program, the Fast-Track Mentoring program, LEADErship Week, and other programs and opportunities. Meet Peer Leadership Consultants who will help you find student organizations to match your interests (and if none of them work for you, they can help you start your own). For more information contact the CSI office at (213) 740-5431 or e-mail studevent@usc.edu.

UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT GOVERNMENT OPEN HOUSE August 26 3:00–5:00 pm, Tommy Trojan
September 3  5:00–7:00 pm, McCarthy Quad
McKeanry Quidl
Want to make the most of your time at USC? If you want to learn how to get you involved and make a difference at USC, the Undergraduate Student Government wants to meet with you.

BICYCLE REGISTRATION
All bicycles are required to be registered at the USC Department of Public Safety, located in Parking Structure A, between 8:30 am–4:30 pm, Monday–Friday. The cost for registration is $3.00. Failure to comply with this regulation may result in impound and associated fees. Please review the university bicycle policy in the SCampus Student Guide at www.usc.edu/registration. For more information please call (213) 740-5519.

FRATERNITY RECRUITMENT
August 27–29
Call (213) 740-2000 for more information.

ASIAN GREEK COUNCIL FRATERNITY & SORORITY RECRUITMENT August 24–September 2
Call (213) 740-2000 for more information.

MULTICULTURAL GREEK COUNCIL FRATERNITY & SORORITY RECRUITMENT August 25–September 2
Call (213) 740-2000 for more information.

SORORITY FORMAL RECRUITMENT August 27–September 2
(Sign-up deadline Monday, August 25, 5:00 pm, Student Union 200). Please visit www.usc Sanchezandusi.com or call (213) 740-2000 for more information.

EL CENTRO CHICANO FALL OPEN HOUSE August 27  2:00 pm–4:00 pm, USC 300
Visit El Centro Chicano for refreshments, free entertainment, information regarding all resources and programs, including scholarships and grants. For more information, please call (213) 740-5431 or visit www.usc.edu/centro.

Black Welcome Week is a collaborative effort between the Center for Black Cultural and Student Affairs (CBSA), the Black Student Assembly (BSA), and the Black Student Organizations. It consists of activities planned to welcome new black students to the Trojan Family. This year, Black Welcome Week will begin on August 29th with the “CBSA Open House” in STU 415 and conclude on Sunday, September 14. Please visit the Center for Black Cultural and Student Affairs (CBSA) website for the most up-to-date information at www.usc.edu/cbsa or call (213) 740-8257.

LGBT WELCOME BACK MIXER & DANCE PARTY September 3  3:30 pm
Come celebrate the beginning of the school year with your LGBT and Ally Community. No one can party like we can. Meet new people, make new friends and have a ton of fun! There will be great music, amazing food and good times! This event is open to all students.

TROJAN KICKOFF September 12  9:30 pm
McKeanry Quidl
Troy Kickoff is a new event designed to introduce students to local and national vendors, athletic sponsors and Trojan Spirit. Pick up free product samples, play games, grab some food and make your Trojan Pride ready for an amazing year! Join the celebration as we kickoff our home athletic season and the new school year!

This year’s event is Friday, September 12. McKeanry Quidl and is followed by the Trojans’ home game vs. Ohio State–in the Galen Center at 7:00 pm. This is a special event with lots of student groups and competitions. We want to “white-out” Ohio State. First 5,000 fans receive a free t-shirt. Beat the Buckeyes!

BLACK GREEK WEEK September 14–21
Black Greek Week gives the opportunity to meet members of Historically African American Fraternities and Sororities, also known as the Divine Nine. The Divine Nine has a legacy and history of community service, scholarship, athletics, and leadership development. This year, Black Greek Week also allows students to explore their heritage, meet students, staff, and faculty! All are welcome! Free snacks.

BEAT THE HUSKIES! October 27–November 3
Various times and locations
The Office of Campus Activities sponsors the following events for student organizations and campus departments at USC during homecoming week. Anything goes, Tommy’s Trojan Tailgate, student competitions for essays, art work and short films, and student leaders showing the campus who runs the yard! You don’t want to miss out on all of this fun! For more information, please call CBCSA at (213) 740-8257 or check our event calendar at www.usc.edu/visitus.

CONQUEST! THE ULTIMATE TROJAN EXPERIENCE! November 6–12
Black Greek Week is a new event designed to introduce students to local and national vendors, athletic sponsors and Trojan Spirit. Pick up free product samples, play games, grab some food and make your Trojan Pride ready for an amazing year! Join the celebration as we kickoff our home athletic season and the new school year!

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NPHC YARD SHOW September 17  12:00 pm
Tommy Trojan
Please join the Historically African American Fraternities and Sororities as they continue their unique tradition of stepping on “the yard.” Generally, all Divine Nine organizations are represented in their finest colors and letters showing who the campus who runs the yard! You don’t want to miss out on all of this fun! For more information, please call CBCSA at (213) 740-8257 or check our event calendar at www.usc.edu/visitus.

USC HOMECOMING WEEK 2008! October 20–26
Various times and locations
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