



CYCLONE FAMILY WEEKEND

September 13-15, 2024

IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY



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Parent and Family Programs



WELCOME

TO

FAMILY

WEEKEND

GREETINGS IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY FAMILIES!

Welcome to Cyclone Family Weekend 2024!

We're excited you're here. This is a special time for you to join your student on campus to experience all the activities and treasures Iowa State has to offer and celebrate the Cyclone Spirit.

Iowa State University takes great pride in preparing our students to be well-rounded community members who are ready to embark on fulfilling careers. Led by world-class faculty and staff, our top academic programs, nationally recognized learning communities, undergraduate research opportunities, service learning, entrepreneurial activities, and more equip students to be leaders, creators, and problem solvers.

Family support is crucial for your student to have a successful journey toward graduation. Thank you for the encouragement, care, and love you show your student and for connecting with Iowa State through events like Cyclone Family Weekend. We value your support as we work together to enhance the Iowa State experience.

While you're here on campus, explore places like the Student Innovation Center, where

students collaborate, test new ideas, and apply knowledge to make Iowa State and the world a better place. This facility is located west of central campus, near the Marston water tower. On Friday, many activities will take place in the Memorial Union, a fixture of the Iowa State campus. Enjoy entertainment, arts and crafts, bingo, bowling, and more. Join us Saturday for open houses and receptions across campus and end your weekend by cheering on the ISU Women's Soccer team against the Hawkeyes on Sunday.

Our deepest thanks to Parent and Family Programs and their partners across campus for organizing this special weekend. We hope you enjoy this time to celebrate being a member of the Cyclone Family.

Wendy Wintersteen, President

Toyia Younger, Senior Vice President for Student Affairs

Sharron M. Evans, Associate Vice President for Student Affairs and Dean of Students

CYCLONE FAMILY WEEKEND 2024

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 2024

CHECK-IN

4:00 pm - 6:00 pm | Memorial Union, Oak Room

Registered family and friends will receive their registration packet at check-in. Staff will also be available to answer any questions you may have about the weekend, ISU or the Ames community.

WELCOME RECEPTION - FEATURED EVENT - WRISTBAND REQUIRED

4:00 pm - 6:00 pm | Memorial Union, Great Hall

After checking in, head to the Great Hall to kick off Cyclone Family Weekend. Enjoy a variety of light refreshments, capture fun memories at the photo booth, and hear a heartfelt greeting from ISU administrators. This is a perfect opportunity to reunite with your student, meet other Cyclone families, and start the weekend festivities.

CYBOWL AND BILLIARDS

6:00 pm - 9:00 pm | Memorial Union, Lower Level

Ready to roll some strikes and show off your bowling skills or rack 'em up in a game of pool? Look no further than CyBowl and Billiards, conveniently located right here on campus. CyBowl and Billiards will be available for Cyclone Family Weekend participants, so stop by anytime to play a game as long as there are lanes or billiards tables open.

FAMILY CRAFT AT THE WORKSPACE

6:00 pm - 9:00 pm | Memorial Union, East Basement

Channel your Cyclone spirit into your creations with a family craft at the Workspace. You'll take home painted cork coasters and cardinal and gold wall hangings as unique keepsakes that capture the memories of Cyclone Family Weekend. Seating in the Workspace is limited and is first come, first served. If the room is full, check back later or try again tomorrow!

BINGO

6:30 pm - 8:30 pm | Memorial Union, Sun Room and South Ballroom

Get ready to bring out your competitive side at the ISU family edition of a classic: Bingo! Grab your lucky charms and prepare to claim victory in a game that's fun for all ages. Be sure to come early to grab a seat or join anytime a seat is open.

P.S. - Be on the lookout for our celebrity caller!

FAMILY WEEKEND CYCLONE CINEMA

7:00 pm | Carver Hall, Room 101

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FELIX & FINGERS DUELING PIANOS

9:00 pm | Memorial Union, Great Hall

Get ready to experience an unforgettable night of music, laughter, and interactive fun with Felix and Fingers Dueling Pianos! Join us for a high-energy show where talent meets comedy, and the audience becomes part of the spectacle. These world-class entertainers will dazzle you, playing everything from classic hits to modern chart-toppers. The performance will last approximately two hours, and seating is first come, first served.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 2024

CHECK-IN

8:00 am - 10:00 am | Student Services Building, First Floor Lobby

Can't arrive until Saturday? We will be here to greet you! Registered family and friends will receive their registration packet and staff will be available to answer any questions you may have about the weekend, ISU or the Ames community. Short-term parking for check-in is available in Lot 4.

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE AND LIFE SCIENCES FAMILY RECEPTION

8:00 am - 10:00 am | Reiman Gardens

The College of Agriculture and Life Sciences is excited to invite the newest Cyclones and their families to a reception. There will be refreshments provided and a short program at 9:00 am along with door prizes, so be sure to brush up on your ISU trivia. At the reception, students will be able to introduce their guests to advisors in their major and interact with college leadership. Following the reception, families and guests will be able to tour the gardens. There are lots of exciting opportunities at Iowa State. Cyclone Family Weekend is a great chance to check in and see the start of some amazing adventures. Advanced registration required.

FIRST COFFEE WITH FIRST SCHOLARS

8:30 am - 9:30 am | Memorial Union, Room 3250

Join the Center for Student Educational Success (CSES) to kick off your day by designing your very own First Scholars coffee mug while enjoying complimentary coffee and donuts. You'll also have the opportunity to meet the CSES team and learn more about the First Scholars program. CSES is home to the First Scholars program, Multicultural Student Affairs, and TRIO Student Support Services, all dedicated to supporting your student's success at ISU. Don't miss out on this fun and informative event!

ISU RESEARCH PARK OPEN HOUSE

8:30 am - 10:00 am | ISU Economic Development Core Facility, 1805 Collaboration Place

Join us for breakfast and learn about opportunities for your students to be involved with cutting edge technology, research, and entrepreneurship! Light breakfast will be provided as well as drawings for Research Park swag. This is a come-and-go open house with a short program at 9:00 am.

ISU DINING COFFEE CLASS

Check your ticket for time | The Hub, The Roasterie

Indulge your senses and expand your knowledge with an immersive coffee experience. Dive deep into the fascinating world of coffee with our expert guides and learn about the secrets behind creating that perfect cup, the art of coffee pouring, and the rich history and passion that fuels The Roasterie - founded by ISU Alum Danny O'Neill out of Kansas City. Enjoy a complimentary cup of freshly brewed coffee paired with a delectable pastry, perfectly complementing your tasting experience. Ticket required.

HORTICULTURE HALL GREENHOUSES TOUR

Check your ticket for time | Horticulture Hall Greenhouses

Discover the magic of our horticulture program firsthand with an exclusive tour of our breathtaking greenhouses. With towering glass walls that let in ample sunlight, our greenhouses provide the perfect environment for plants to thrive. Whether you're a seasoned gardener or a budding enthusiast, there's something here for everyone to enjoy. Ticket required.

KID POWER

9:00 am - 11:00 am | Northeast Campanile Lawn

Join us for a morning of fun for all! This child-centered event will support connections between students who have families, creating peer support, community building, and relationships that are crucial for success in higher education and in childrearing. Activities include yard games, child-friendly crafts, and more! Light snacks will be provided. Hosted by the ISU Office of Childcare and Family Services, International Student and Scholar Office, Graduate and Professional Student Senate, and Sloss Center for Women and Gender Equity.

JACK TRICE FOOTBALL STADIUM TOURS

Check your ticket for time | Jack Trice Football Stadium

Join Iowa State Athletics for a tour of Jack Trice Stadium to learn about the magic that goes into Cyclone Nation. Ticket required. *Please note this is a walking tour and will be mostly outdoors.* Ticket required

GRADUATE COLLEGE RECEPTION

10:00 am - 12:00 pm | Pearson Hall

Is a master's or doctorate degree in your future? Graduate students at Iowa State University are part of a community of adventurous minds, connecting through research, discovery, and intellectual growth. If this is the kind of education and excitement you are looking for, then the Graduate College is the perfect place for you! Visit the home of the Graduate College, Pearson Hall, for free giveaways, snacks, and information on Iowa State's graduate programs. Staff will be available to answer your questions.

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING OPEN HOUSE

10:00 am - 1:00 pm | Student Innovation Center, Main Floor

With more than fifty student clubs associated with the College of Engineering, there is something for everyone. Stop by to explore ISU's engineering clubs, see live glass blowing, and play engineering trivia! Show off your engineering knowledge and grab a snack!

CAMPANILE-CARILLON MODEL OPEN HOUSE

10:00 am - 12:00 pm | Biorenewables Complex, Sukup Atrium

Step into a world of musical wonder and architectural splendor when you visit the Sukup Atrium to explore the 3,000-pound, 1:5 scale replica of the ISU Campanile and 27-bell Carillon Model hosted by ISU's Student Carillonneur Leadership Council. This open house includes concert performances at 10:00 am and 11:00 am and hands-on activities.

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IVY COLLEGE OF BUSINESS OPEN HOUSE

10:00 am - 12:00 pm | Gerdin Business Building Atrium

Visit the home of the Debbie and Jerry Ivy College of Business, where world-class faculty, staff, programs, and facilities are brought together to deliver business education for a rapidly changing world. Stop by for coffee, juice and donuts and a guided tour. Tour is first come, first served. Entry to Gerdin Business Building will be through the west doors.

ISU HORSE BARN TOURS

Check your ticket for time | Horse Barns (meet in Parking Lot 79)

Discover the rich history and educational opportunities at the ISU Department of Animal Science's historic horse barns! These iconic facilities offer students hands-on learning experiences in a unique setting. Explore the barns that house two student apartments, an office, a reproduction lab, an equine treadmill, and a classroom. Gain insights into our breeding program and the thriving horse industry in Iowa. *Please note this will be a walking tour of a working horse farm, which will be mostly outdoors. Please dress appropriately for the weather including footwear.* Ticket required.

BACON EXPO

11:00 am - 2:00 pm | Hansen Agricultural Student Learning Center

Bacon Expo is Iowa State's largest student run philanthropy! Every year, the Bacon Expo hosts a one-day celebration of bacon, allowing student organizations and outside vendors to make a wide variety of bacon dishes. For \$5, visitors can try all the dishes, participate in a contest, have access to education stations and games surrounding the pork and agriculture industry, attend various entertainment events, and interact with live pigs! Tickets can be purchased at the event entrance.

PARKS LIBRARY ARCHIVES OPEN HOUSE

11:00 am - 1:00 pm | Room 405, Parks Library (the Special Collections Classroom)

Step back in time as you browse the Parks Library archives' collections. Experience the sights and sounds of yesteryears and ISU history through manuscripts, media, and historical documents that offer glimpses into bygone eras. Please note that food and drinks are not permitted on the fourth floor of the Library.

LATE CHECK-IN

11:00 am - 1:00 pm | Jack Trice Stadium, Sukup End Zone Club, First Floor

Arriving later Saturday? We will still be here to greet you! Registered family and friends can pick up their registration packet and staff will be available to answer any questions you may have about the weekend, ISU or the Ames community.

LUNCH AT THE SUKUP END ZONE CLUB

Check your ticket for time | Jack Trice Stadium, Sukup End Zone Club, First Floor

You can't visit Iowa State University without experiencing the Sukup End Zone Club. Join us for a game day lunch spread featuring a nacho bar with all your favorite toppings. Parking is available in Lots S2 and S3. Ticket required.

CYCLONE FAMILY SOCIAL - FEATURED EVENT - WRISTBAND REQUIRED

11:00 am - 2:00 pm | Jack Trice Stadium, Sukup End Zone Club, Second Floor

Ever dreamed of stepping into the iconic Jack Trice Stadium, the battleground where our Cyclones pour their passion into every game? Now's your chance! Gather your loved ones for an unforgettable family day and immerse yourselves in the Sukup End Zone Club, boasting a panoramic view of the field. Descend into the heart of the stadium seating area and capture your moment with a stadium selfie!

Delve into the legacy of Jack Trice with a special travelling exhibit courtesy of the Ames History Museum. Engage with Sharron Evans, our esteemed Dean of Students, and forge new connections with fellow families through interactive group activities. Plus, enjoy the convenience of a cash bar! Please note that this cash bar is cashless - a credit card or mobile payment is required.

MARTIAL ARTS CLUB DEMONSTRATION

12:00 pm - 2:00 pm | South Campanile Lawn

ISU's very own Martial Arts Club will be completing demonstrations of Judo, Hapkido, and Taekwondo. Witness the precision and power of throws, joint-locks, kicking techniques, self-defense maneuvers, and the impressive art of board breaking!

ROCK CLIMBING WALL

12:00 pm - 4:00 pm | State Gym

Try your hand...s and feet at our two rock climbing walls, top rope wall and bouldering wall. Climbing walls will be reserved for Cyclone Family Weekend participants and will be first-come, first-served. Climbing equipment will be provided at no cost. Participants will sign a waiver prior to this activity.

ISU CREAMERY TOURS

Check your ticket for time | Food Science Building

Calling all cheese and ice cream enthusiasts! Experience the magic behind the scenes at the Iowa State University Creamery, where dairy dreams come true. Our experiential learning fully prepares dairy food science students for the most skilled positions in the fast-paced and competitive dairy processing industry. Join us for a tour of the facility and see the process involved in making the delicious cheese and ice cream offered at the Creamery! Don't forget to visit the retail store, where you'll have the opportunity to purchase freshly-made dairy delights. Ticket required.

UNIVERSITY MUSEUMS OPEN HOUSES

1:00 pm - 4:00 pm | Brunnier Art, Christian Peterson Art, and Farm House Museums

Embark on a journey to explore our campus's diverse array of artistic treasures, from the masterpieces housed within the Cristian Petersen Art Museum to the charming exhibits at the Farm House Museum and the Brunnier Art Museum. Grab a self-guided tour map and set off on foot to discover selected works from the ISU Public Art Collection, strategically placed throughout our campus.

Please note that food and drinks are not permitted in the museum galleries, but fear not - the Farm House Museum awaits you with complimentary cookies to sweeten your visit! Various University Museums publications will be for sale, as well as magnets and postcards that showcase the Art on Campus Collection.

COLLEGE OF HUMAN SCIENCES RECEPTION

1:00 pm - 2:30 pm | MacKay Hall, Room 118

The College of Human Sciences has a passion for people and a commitment to expanding human potential. Their long history of serving sweet treats to Cyclones and their families dates back to 1920 when the student-run bake sale by the ISU Department of Hotel, Restaurant, and Institution Management served about 2,000 people. The cherry filling in their cherry pies was first selected to commemorate George Washington's birthday. The ISU Creamery even named a flavor after them: Human Sci Sweet Cherry Pie!

This year is no exception to that College of Human Sciences hospitality. Visit Room 118 in MacKay Hall to enjoy ice cream and cookies while supplies last!

STUDENT INNOVATION CENTER SHOWCASE - FEATURED EVENT - WRISTBAND REQUIRED

5:00 pm - 8:00 pm | Student Innovation Center, Floors 0, 1, and 2

Your students have the opportunity to acquaint themselves with a wide range of innovative technologies, systems, and activities through the Student Innovation Center (SIC) - and now, so do you! New to Cyclone Family Weekend this year, families can engage with the Makerspaces in the SIC to see all of the opportunities available to your student, including the Metal and Wood Shop; the Electronics, Textiles, and 3D Printing Shop; and the Digital Media Studio. Cars designed and created by various student organizations will be on display, and the student-run store, Innovate 1858, will be open.

Don't just stop by for demos and viewings - join us at 6:30pm for a game of trivia using the state-of-the-art Jumbotron and sound system! Bring your competitive side and vie for a chance at a grand prize! Light snacks will be provided.

PUNCH & PAINT

Check your ticket for time | Student Innovation Center, Second Floor, Deming Project Suite

Spend time with your family while unleashing your artistic flair! Visit the Student Innovation Center to create an acrylic painting of ISU's Campanile under the guidance of Assistant Dean of Students and renowned artist, Jordan Brooks. With easy-to-follow instructions, everyone can participate regardless of their skill level. Plus, Cyclone Punch is included! Ticket required.

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FAMILY BRUNCH

Check your ticket for time | Friley Windows

Wrap up your Cyclone Family Weekend with a delicious family brunch at Windows Dining in Friley Residence Hall, brought to you by ISU Dining! Please note, this facility will only be open to Cyclone Family Weekend registrants and will not be able to serve students who are not registered. Students who have a "swipe" ticket will be required to swipe their ID card for their meal plan.

ISU WOMEN'S SOCCER GAME

1:00 pm | Cyclone Sports Complex

Show your Cyclone pride and support the Iowa State University Women's Soccer Team as they storm the field for an exciting Cy-Hawk Series match against the University of Iowa! Bring your loudest cheers and join us for an afternoon of high-energy action.

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PAINT THE PARK WITH CHAD ELLIOT

10:00 am - 5:00 pm | Reiman Gardens

Don't miss this unique opportunity to blend art, music, and nature at Reiman Gardens. Join us as award-winning artist and musician, Chad Elliot, creates a plein air painting of Reiman Gardens and performs a nature-inspired concert. Come early to explore the 17 acres and *Garden Playhouses*, watch as Chad Elliot creates a painting of the Gardens in real time, and stay for the concert!

This event is included with the purchase of general admission. No pre-registration required; pay at the door. \$2 off regular admission to Reiman Gardens as part of Cyclone Family Weekend. Please bring your discount book with you. Free for Reiman Gardens Members and ISU students. Free-will donation encouraged for artist performance.

125TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE IOWA STATE BELLS

2:00 pm | Central Campus

Celebrate the historic anniversary of the Iowa State Campanile/Carillon with this special concert on Central Campus, featuring musical collaborations between the Carillon, the Iowa State Singers, and the ISU Brass Ensemble, as well as a tribute to the tower's founders.

COLLAGE OF CHOIRS CONCERT

4:00 pm | Stephens Auditorium

Prepare to be swept away by the captivating performances of four Iowa State University choirs: the Iowa State Singers, Iowa Statesmen, Cantamus, and Lyrica. This extraordinary event promises to be a celebration of vocal artistry that will leave you spellbound. We invite you to indulge in a musical journey that traverses a wide spectrum of choral styles and genres, from classical masterpieces to contemporary arrangements. Get ready to be moved, uplifted, and inspired. Admission is \$10 for general admission or \$5 for children 18 and under, ISU students, and seniors ages 65 and older. Tickets can be purchased at the door prior to the performance or ahead of time through the Ticket Office at Stephens Auditorium.

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For updates and weather-related notices, check our website by scanning the QR code below!



OTHER THINGS TO DO IN AND AROUND AMES

Ames Main Street Farmers' Market

Downtown Ames | Saturdays, 8:00 am - 12:30 pm

Ledges State Park

Madrid, IA

Ada Hayden Heritage Park

5205 Grand, Ames, IA

Veenker Memorial Golf Course

2916 Veenker Dr, Ames, IA

High Trestle Trail

Find the Cy statues around Ames



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