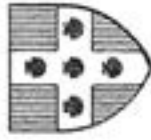


Freshman Orientation Program

Class of 1972



Whether to have come into existence at this period will finally prove advantageous, or otherwise, will depend, so far as human agency is concerned, on the discrimination with which Wesleyan distinguishes between the light of real improvement and the ignis fatuus of the visionary theorist.

—Willbur Fisk

September 1968

Schedule of Opening Events

Tuesday 10th September

9 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Admissions Office open. *Students should report to this office as soon as possible after arrival.*

Keys may be obtained from the Office of the Director of Residence Halls, located in the Main Entrance of the Foss Hill Dormitories from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. After those hours it will be necessary to make contact with the night watchman who will be available periodically throughout the evening in Room 404, Audrus Hall, Foss Hill.

Wednesday 11th September

9 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Admissions Office open. *Students should report to this office as soon as possible after arrival.*

Keys will be available as indicated above. Members of the Cardinal Key (the Junior Honor Society) will be available for assistance.

9 a.m.-4 p.m. College Store and Post Office will be open. Mailbox keys can be obtained on this and subsequent days.

2 p.m. Information Meeting for Parents, *Memorial Chapel*

3:30-5 p.m. Reception for Freshmen and their Parents, *President's Garden*

6 p.m. Welcoming Dinner for Freshmen and all other new students, *McConaughy Hall*. (Because of the limited facilities of McConaughy, parents and friends cannot be accommodated at the Welcoming Dinner.)

Master of Ceremonies: Leonard H. Havens, Jr., *President of Cardinal Key*
Introduction of the Class of 1972 to President Etherington:

Robert L. Kirkpatrick, Jr., *Dean of Admissions*

Welcome: Edwin D. Etherington, *President of the University*

Remarks: Joseph W. Cole, *Vice President, Student Affairs*

Joseph H. McMahon, *Dean of Student Affairs*

Thursday 12th September

(Each student's appointments will be specified on a list contained in the orientation packet he will receive upon arrival.)

7:15-8:30 a.m. Breakfast, *McConaughy Hall*

8:30 a.m. Language Tests, *Fisk Hall*

9 a.m.-2 p.m. Student appointments with Faculty Advisors

9 a.m.-12 M. Guidance and Placement Tests, Series I, *Fisk Hall, PAC*,
Shanklin

10 a.m. Library Tour, *Olin Library*

11 a.m. Library Tour, *Olin Library*

11:45 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Lunch, *McConaughy Hall*

1 p.m. Library Tour, *Olin Library*

2:30-5:30 p.m. Guidance and Placement Tests, Series II, *Fisk Hall, PAC*,
Shanklin

6 p.m. Dinner, *McConaughy Hall*

"The Wesleyan Experience," Master of Ceremonies, Robert M. Stone,
Chairman, Cardinal Key Orientation Committee

Louis O. Mink, Jr., *Professor of Philosophy*

Stuart H. Blackburn, *Member, College Body Committee, Captain, Varsity Football Team*

Friday 13th September

(Each student's appointments will be specified on a list contained in the orientation packet he will receive upon arrival.)

9 a.m.-12 M. Guidance and Placement Tests, Series I, *Fisk Hall, PAC*,
Shanklin

9 a.m.-12 M. Student appointments with Faculty Advisors

10 a.m. Library Tour, *Olin Library*

11 a.m. Library Tour, *Olin Library*

11:45 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Lunch, *McConaughy Hall*

1-5 p.m. Registration, *Feyerweather Gymnasium*

5:15 p.m. Library Tour, *Olin Library*

6 p.m. Dinner, *McConaughy Hall*

"Student Government at Wesleyan," Master of Ceremonies, Dana B. Johnson

The College Body Committee: John P. Barlow, *Chairman*

The Honor Board: Thomas H. Wilson, *Chairman*

The Student Judicial Board: W. Nicholson Browning

This discussion will continue in smaller groups after dinner at sessions organized by the resident advisors.

Saturday 14th September

7:15-8:30 a.m. Breakfast, *McConaughy Hall*

9 a.m.-12 M. Guidance and Placement Tests, Series III, *Fisk Hall, PAC*,
Shanklin

12 M.-12:45 p.m. Lunch, *McConaughy Hall*

1-5 p.m. Activities Fair

This afternoon's programs will provide new students with an introduction to Wesleyan student organizations. Details of the programs will be posted on residence hall bulletin boards and advertised elsewhere on the campus.

5:30-6:15 p.m. Dinner, *McConaughy Hall*

8 p.m. Mixer, *McConaughy Hall*

Sunday 15th September

9-10 a.m. Continental Breakfast, *McConaughy Hall*

11:45 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Dinner, *McConaughy Hall*

6 p.m. Supper, *McConaughy Hall*

8 p.m. Matriculation Service, *Memorial Chapel* (Students must arrive promptly)

Address: Edwin D. Etherington, *President of the University*

Monday 16th September

8 a.m. Classes begin

Tuesday 17th September

6 p.m. Dinner, *McConaughy Hall*

"Athletics at Wesleyan," Donald M. Russell, *Chairman, Department of Physical Education*

Thursday 19th September

6 p.m. Dinner, *McConaughy Hall*

"Wesleyan's Pre-Medical Program," Clair B. Crampton, *M.D., University Physician*

Notes:

Medical interviews will be conducted during the orientation period. Students should consult their list of appointments for the hour at which they are to report to the Infirmary.

Lockers and gymnasium equipment should be obtained at the Gymnasium at free moments during the orientation program.

Swimming tests will be conducted during the first class meeting of the Physical Education Courses. Initial meetings of freshman athletic teams will be announced and posted on dormitory bulletin boards.