



Mean Green Monthly

The Parent Association Newsletter

Welcome to the UNT Parent Association!

We are so happy to have you as a member of the UNT Parent Association. Whether you are new or a returning member, your membership is valued and necessary to your student, as well as all UNT students.

Your membership includes some amazing benefits for both you and your student:

Parent Benefits:

- Family Weekend Discount
- 10% discount on all school supplies, clothing, and gifts at the UNT bookstore
- Parent Calendar outlining important dates throughout the Mean Green Year
- Monthly electronic newsletters with UNT updates & important Parent Association news

Student Benefits:

- Exclusive scholarship opportunities to students of the Parent Association
- Finals Goodie Boxes for Fall & Spring semesters



[UNT Academic Calendar](#)

Dates To Remember:

- 9/7 - Last day for 70% refund
- 9/8 - UNT vs. Incarnate Word
- 9/11 - 12th Class Day
- 9/13 - Last day for 50% refund
- 9/15 - UNT at Arkansas
- 9/18 - Deadline for Undergraduates to apply for graduation
- 9/19 - Last day for 25% refund
- 9/22 - UNT at Liberty
- 9/28-9/30 - **FAMILY WEEKEND**
- 9/29 - UNT vs. Louisiana Tech

Greetings Parents and Family Members!

My name is Carter Burks, and I am the Coordinator for Parent and Family Programs! I am from Lampasas, Texas, and have lived my whole life in the Lone Star State. I attended The University of Texas at Austin and received my B.A in History, and Texas A&M University, where I received my M.S. in Higher Education Administration.

I have worked in several fields within higher education, including housing and residence life and academic advising, before having the privilege of joining the Orientation and Transition Programs here at the University of North Texas. We have many exciting programs and events planned, and we hope to see you all in attendance!

The Parent Programs team, made up of myself and my Graduate Assistant, Carl Rodriguez, will always strive to be a resource to all members of the Mean Green Family, of which you are all now a part. Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have questions, whether they are about one of our programs, or anything else having to do with the university.

We look forward to hearing from you soon,

Carter Burks



Hello Everyone!

My name is Carl Rodriguez and I am from Waxahachie, Texas. I received my B.A. in Biology with a minor in Communication Studies from Tarleton State University in Stephenville, Texas. I was very involved on campus with various leadership positions and student organizations. I became incredibly passionate about students and their success in college and that is what ultimately led me to pursuing my Masters in Higher Education Administration.

I am currently in my 2nd-year of my Master's program and plan to graduate this upcoming May. I worked as an Assistant Community Director in Housing & Residence Life at UNT last year. I learned how integral parents and family members are in their students success at college and I hope to help you all in playing that integral role.

Carter and I are here at your convenience to answer questions about campus, student life, the Denton community, and more.

See you all in 3 weeks at Family Weekend!!!

-Carl

Family WEEKEND

family, friends, fun



Click to Register for Family
Weekend

What You Need to Know.

Family weekend is quickly approaching and we are so excited to see you all back on campus! It is a great time for you to reconnect with your student and enjoy all of the scheduled activities including:

- Scrappy's Extravaganza
- 5K Family Walk/Run
- President's Breakfast
- Mean Green Tailgate & Football Game and MUCH MORE

As a member of the Parent Association, you receive a discount for registration, which was emailed to you.

If you did not receive an email with the discount code please email, parents@unt.edu

Things you should know..

How to Send Mail to Your Student



Eagle Post

Offers complete mail services including post office boxes, postage, and shipping.

Every student living in the UNT residence halls is given a PO Box. Students must fill out a [Mailbox Signup Sheet](#) and print it out. They also must have their student ID or Government ID with them to receive their key.

When your student receives a package they will get an email from Eagle Post letting them know it is ready for pick up.

Normal Hours:

Monday - Thursday 7:30am - 5:30pm

Friday 7:30am - 4:00pm

Saturday 10:00am-2:00pm



Sending Directly to Your Student's Residence Hall

Another mailing option is sending the package directly to the residence hall..

Residence halls can only receive packages sent via UPS, FedEx, or DHL, and other services, such as florists. They cannot receive packages sent via USPS.

Shipping addresses for residence halls can be found [here](#) by clicking on the specific residence hall.

Visit the Housing & Residence Life
Website

Dining Hall Hours

[Kerr Cafeteria](#)

[Bruce Cafeteria](#)

[Mean Greens](#)

[Champs
Cafeteria](#)

[West Hall](#)

[Where can FLEX be used?](#)

FLEX can be used at all retail food shops at UNT. Click the link above to see all of the options!



Next episode: Involvement

We are excited to announce that our next episode of Mean Green Family Live will be over Involvement featuring the Director of Student Activities, Dr. Christa Coffey! We will cover how to get your student involved and answer any questions that you have.

Mean Green Family Live will be Thursday, September 13th live from the Student Activities Center.

Tune in on Facebook and have your questions ready!

Make Sure Your Student Checks These Out!

Entertainment

Sept. 6: Beat Shazam
Lyceum - 7 PM

Sponsored by UPC, University Union

Sept. 10: Karaoke
Syndicate - 6:30 PM

Sponsored by UPC

Sept. 12: Union Art Workshop
Emerald Ballroom - 6 PM

Sponsored by UPC, University Union

Sept. 13: Carnaval
Union South Lawn - 11:30 AM

*Sponsored by Institutional Equity &
Diversity Division*

Sept. 17: Latin Music Night
Union Patio - 7 PM

Sept. 18: Comedy Night
Lyceum - 7 PM

Sponsored by UPC, University Union

Football

Sept. 8:
UNT vs. Incarnate Word

Sept. 15:
UNT at Arkansas

Sept. 22:
UNT at Liberty

Sept. 29:
UNT vs. Louisiana Tech

Sept. 24: UPCreations
Jade Ballroom, 333 - 6 PM
Sponsored by UPC

Sept. 27: Open Mic Night
Syndicate - 7 PM
Sponsored by UPC, University Union

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