

Event times and locations may be subject to change. We will update this page with the latest information as it becomes available.  
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**Wednesday, August 31**

- 7:30am-4:30pm** **AOG Gift Shop location:** Doolittle Hall **attendance:** open to the public The gift shop will be open all weekend. **NO BUS SUPPORT**
- 9:00am-5:00pm** **Visitor Center location:** Barry Goldwater Visitor Center **attendance:** open to the public The visitor center will be open all weekend. **NO BUS SUPPORT**
- 8:15am-4:00pm** **Parents' Club Presidents Conference Day 1 location:** Polaris Hall **attendance:** by invitation only Conference offering Parents' Club Presidents information and briefings from Academy organizations and Senior Staff.
- 6:00pm-8:00pm** **Parents' Club Presidents Reception location:** The Carlton House **attendance:** by invitation only Reception hosted by the Superintendent for Parents' Club Presidents.

**Thursday, September 1**

- 8:15am-4:00pm** **Parents' Club Presidents Conference Day 2 location:** Polaris Hall **attendance:** by invitation only Conference offering Parents' Club Presidents information and briefings from Academy organizations and Senior Staff.

**Friday, September 2**

- 5:30am** Base opens to parents at 5:30am; north gate access is recommended for visitors.
- 6:00am-8:00am** **Breakfast location:** Mitchell Hall **attendance:** upper-class Cadets may bring guests; Cadets must purchase guest tickets in advance Upper-class Cadets not hosting guests and fourth-class Cadets may stay to eat or grab a snack and depart.
- 7:30am-9:10am** **Multi-Domain Laboratory (MDL) Tour location:** Fairchild Hall, Rm. 2H28 **attendance:** Cadet escort required; **NO BUS SUPPORT**
- 8:30am-9:40am** **Cadet Aviation Capabilities Exercise (CAPEX) location:** Stillman Field **attendance:** guests welcomed Bleacher seating for Stillman Field opens at 8:30am. Watch the Academy's "Wings of Blue" parachute team, your national champion glider team, and powered flight aircraft as they demonstrate the various cadet-led aviation and leadership programs that are offered to cadets during their four years at USAFA. **BUS SUPPORT & ADA shuttle**
- 9:45am-11:00pm** **Cadet Wing Parade location:** Stillman Field **attendance:** MANDATORY FOR ALL CADETS; guests welcomed Bleacher seating for Stillman Field opens at 8:30am. Arrive early for pre-parade demonstrations. At the parade, the **Distinguished Service Award** will be presented. Cadets will be released on the field to meet with their guests. If the parade is cancelled for severe weather, guests may check with their cadet to see whether their Squadron will move up their Open House time. **BUS SUPPORT & ADA shuttle**
- 11:00am-1:30pm/4:00pm-5:00pm** **Planetarium Open House** The last show is at 1:00pm for the first session to accommodate Senior Leader Panel from 2:00pm-3:30pm. Last show for second session is at 4:30pm.
- 11:00am-2:00pm** **Squadron BBQs/Open Houses location:** Sijan and Vandenberg Halls **attendance:** MANDATORY FOR ALL UPPER CLASS CADETS If the cadet parade is cancelled due to inclement weather, squadrons may hold their open houses earlier (10:00am-2:00pm). Check with your cadet for more information. **NO BUS SUPPORT; ADA Shuttle from Parade Handicap Lot to Cadet Area available if requested starting at noon.**
- 11:15am-1:15pm** **Lunch location:** Mitchell Hall **attendance:** FOURTH CLASS CADETS AND THEIR GUESTS Cadets must purchase guest tickets in advance. Lunch for visitors is also available at the Field House, Visitor Center, Falcon Club, Arnold Hall and food trucks at various Cadet Area locations (prices/times vary). **NO BUS SUPPORT**
- 11:30am-4:30pm** **Parents' Weekend Information Fair location:** Arnold Hall Ballroom **attendance:** guests welcomed Offers information and giveaways from many Academy and community organizations. Information booths available from the Commandant of Cadets, Cadet Clubs, Cadet Sponsor Program, 306th Flying Training Group, 10 FSS Support Services, and various Academy support groups. Food and beverages available in Richter Lounge and food trucks on the Arnold Hall Ballroom patio. Cadet performing groups will be on stage in the ballroom from 11:30am-12:30pm. Don't miss this popular event. **NO BUS SUPPORT**
- 12:30pm-4:00pm** **Multi-Domain Laboratory (MDL) Tour location:** Fairchild Hall, Rm. 2H28 **attendance:** Cadet escort required; **NO BUS SUPPORT**
- 12:30pm-4:00pm** **Dean of Faculty Open House location:** Fairchild Hall **attendance:** Cadet escort required **BUS SUPPORT into cadet area; no continuous ADA Shuttle; golf carts provided as needed**
- 12:30pm-4:30pm** **Center for Character and Leadership Development Tours location:** Polaris Hall **attendance:** Cadets may escort parents through Polaris Hall and the Honor Board Assembly Room **NO BUS SUPPORT**
- 12:30pm-4:30pm** **Airfield Open House location:** Davis Airfield **attendance:** Cadets must escort their guests to the airfield Come view static displays of Academy aircraft and parachuting equipment and visit with the staff of the 306th Flying Training Group. **BUS SUPPORT; ADA shuttle parks at the airfield**
- 12:30pm-4:30pm** **Athletic Department Open House location:** Cadet Field House **attendance:** all guests welcomed Come visit the Cadet Field House, Hall of Excellence at the Falcon Athletic Center, and the Cadet Gymnasium. Meet the Athletics staff and learn all about the many athletics programs available at USAFA. **NO BUS SUPPORT**
- 2:00pm-3:30pm** **Senior Leaders' Panel and Parents' Q&A location:** Fairchild Hall, F1 **attendance:** seating limited to first 500 guests; Cadets will escort parents to F1 Auditorium and pick them up after the session ends Opportunity for new (or returning) cadet parents to receive an overview of Academy programs from senior staff, including the Superintendent, Command Chief, Commandant of Cadets, Dean of the Faculty, and Athletic Director. Q&A session will follow presentations. **NO BUS SUPPORT**
- 5:00pm-7:00pm** **Dinner Buffet location:** Mitchell Hall **attendance:** open to Cadets and their visitors; guests must pay cashier; **NO BUS SUPPORT**
- CADETS MAY SIGN OUT AFTER 4:00pm ON FRIDAY. CADETS MUST ATTEND ACCOUNTABILITY FORMATION FOR THE FOOTBALL GAME SATURDAY MORNING

**Saturday, September 3**

- 7:00am-9:00am** **Optional Breakfast Buffet location:** Mitchell Hall **attendance:** open to Cadets and their visitors; guests must pay cashier; **NO BUS SUPPORT**
- 6:30am** **Squadron Accountability Formation** All Fourth Class Cadets report to Squadron SARs for accountability formation and to board the busses to the stadium NLT 7:10am
- 7:00am** **Squadron Accountability Formation** All Third Class Cadets report to Squadron SARs for accountability formation and to board the busses to the stadium NLT 7:10am
- 9:15am** All second and first-class Cadets report to squadron accountability formation at the stadium. Due to inbound traffic, parents who do not wish to attend the football game should drop their cadet off in the cadet area by 8:00am in time for them to catch the bus to the stadium.
- 8:15am-10:15am** **Squadron Tailgates at Football Game location:** Falcon Stadium **attendance:** parents are welcome to join their cadet(s) in the tailgating area; **NO BUS SUPPORT**
- 11:00am** **Home Football Game vs. University of Northern Iowa location:** Falcon Stadium **attendance:** Cadets are required to attend the game and must sit with the Cadet Wing but do not need to purchase ticket For guest tickets, call the USAFA Athletic Ticket Office at (800) 666-8723, (719) 472-1895, or purchase on-line at <https://goairforcefalcons.com>; **Cadet bus support only**
- 3:00pm** CADETS MAY MEET THEIR GUESTS AND DEPART FALCON STADIUM AFTER THE THIRD VERSE OF THE AIR FORCE SONG AT THE CONCLUSION OF THE GAME; CADETS MUST SIGN IN BY MONDAY, 7:50pm (11:00pm FOR FIRSTIES)

**Sunday, September 4**

- 7:00am-9:00am** **Breakfast Buffet location:** Mitchell Hall **attendance:** open to cadets and their guests; guests must pay cashier; **NO BUS SUPPORT**
- 8:00am-1:00pm** **Worship Services location:** Various locations **attendance:** guests must be accompanied by their Cadet Guests are invited to attend services in the Cadet area or the Community Center Chapel. For schedules, please call: Cadet Chapel at (719) 333-2636 or Community Center Chapel at (719) 333-3300.
- 10:00am-1:30pm** **Brunch Buffet location:** Falcon Club **attendance:** call for reservations (719) 333-4253; **NO BUS SUPPORT**
- 11:00am-1:00pm** **Lunch Buffet location:** Mitchell Hall **attendance:** open to cadets and their guests; guests must pay cashier; **NO BUS SUPPORT**
- 10:00am-2:15pm** **Jacks Valley (BCT) Orientation Tour location:** Jack's Valley **attendance:** Cadets must escort their guests Shuttle buses will run from Field House parking lots every 15 minutes. The last bus departs for Jacks Valley at 1:30pm, and the last bus departs from Jacks Valley at 2:15 to return to the field house parking lot by 2:30pm. Walking shoes and water bottles recommended. **BUS SUPPORT ONLY; NO ADA shuttle**

**Monday, September 5 (Labor Day)**

- 7:00am-9:00am** **Breakfast Buffet location:** Mitchell Hall **attendance:** open to cadets and their guests; guests must pay cashier **NO BUS SUPPORT**
- 11:00am-1:00pm** **Lunch Buffet location:** Mitchell Hall **attendance:** open to cadets and their guests; guests must pay cashier **NO BUS SUPPORT**
- 7:50pm** All second, third, and fourth-class cadets must sign in.
- 11:00pm** All first-class cadets must sign in.