Marching Mizzou Family Day 2018

Saturday, September 22, 2018: Mizzou vs. Georgia
Hosted by Tau Beta Sigma (National Honorary Band Service Sorority)

Dear Marching Mizzou Family Members,

We are so excited to welcome you this weekend to Family Day 2018! This day will give you a preview of all the fun things that Marching Mizzou gets to do on Game Days. If you have any questions about any of the information, please feel free to contact Lanie Calvin at mizzoutbstreasurer@gmail.com or 636-432-3859.

Sincerely,

The Sisters of Tau Beta Sigma

PARKING:

There are five on campus garages that are free to park in on game day. The garages are listed below from nearest to farthest from the Marching Mizzou Practice Field. The Marching Mizzou Practice field is located off of Monk/Champion’s Drive. For family members who have attended Family Day before, we have a new practice field that is by the Old MU President’s home, which is also called Providence Point. Make sure to look for the tan instrument shed or the black, Marching Mizzou tower with gold signs. It is about 20-30 minute walk across campus, so make sure to adjust accordingly based on your parking spot.

- Virginia Avenue Garage (VAG)
- Turner Avenue Garage (TAG)
- Conley Avenue Garage (CAG)
- University Avenue Garage (UAG)
- Hitt Street Garage (HSG)
Please note that metered spots on all streets are operated by the City of Columbia and run Monday-Saturday 9am-7pm.

**REMINDER:** Please arrive early to get your desired parking spot as Family Weekend is one of the busiest weekends at Mizzou. Make sure to allow for extra time for travel as there is traffic congestion on and off campus. Please do not park in Lot N near the Marching Mizzou practice field as it is meant for permit holders only. Tickets will be given to violators. Marching Mizzou and Tau Beta Sigma-Zeta Omega are not responsible for parking fees acquired during Marching Mizzou Family Day. **ADA ACCESSIBLE PARKING** – For more information visit, this link here.

Individuals wishing to seek parking on a single game basis in **Lot M-ADA Parking** will be able to purchase a pass on the day of the game at the **lot opening time of 8:00 AM for a cost of $30**. No passes will be sold in advance for parking in this lot.
In addition to the criteria above, all individuals seeking parking in one of our accessible parking lots must meet the following criteria:

1. The individual seeking parking must have a disabled placard or license plate.

2. The individual to whom the placard or license plate was issued must be in the vehicle.

3. The individual seeking to park must show the parking attendant a validated application receipt for the placard or license plate.
6:30 AM-6:45 AM – Marching Mizzou Family Day Check-In at the Marching Mizzou Practice Field by the instrument shed. (located off of Champions Drive by Lot N – see ADA accessible parking map for more details)

At check in, please bring your confirmation number or confirmation email to get your t-shirt and meal package plan pass. We will be selling candy grams for $1 each to family members that want to send to candy to their students. They will be delivered Tuesday at the end of rehearsal. Please note that if you ordered any of the optional M2 merchandise that your student will be informed via their confirmation email that it will not be ready until the second week of October.

Game Day Itinerary

6:45 AM – Call Time for Marching Mizzou

7:00-8:15 AM – Marching Mizzou Full Band Rehearsal

If you would like to watch Marching Mizzou’s rehearsal that morning, please arrive before 7:00 AM as rehearsal will begin promptly. Once rehearsal begins you may sit on the sidelines or grassy area next to the instrument shed to watch. There are no bleachers or seating at the practice field, so it is recommended that you bring blankets to sit in the grassy area near the instrument shed.

8:15-8:45 PM – Band Family Day Check-In Continued – Marching Mizzou Practice Field

Check-in at the Marching Mizzou practice field will close at noon. If you are unable to make check-in before nine, please email Lanie at mizzoutbstreasurer@gmail.com to notify her, so she can bring your T-shirts and meal package cards to the Marching Mizzou uniform/triangle room located on the third floor of the Hearnes Center by the east entrance of the Hearnes Center where the game day meal will be provide. All t-shirts and meal package cards will be located at the M2 instrument shed until Lanie walks over to the Hearnes Center at 9.

8:15 AM – Band Family Day Game Day Meal

For family members who have ordered the optional meal package, please join the students for lunch at 8:15 a.m. in the Triangle Room located on the third floor of the
Hearnes Center by the East Entrance near the old ticket booth, which is also located near the press entrance. Then, take the staircase near the press entrance (on the east side of the building) up to the sign that says conference center. The triangle room will be the last door on the left hand side of the building before turning the corner.

*Please make sure to check-in prior to getting food as you will not be allowed to get food without your pass. Meal packages are only for families that ordered them and we are no longer allowed to make any more changes to the order.*

There will be a separate line for parents and families as students will need to get to their pep rallies on time. The game day meal provided for students and their families will be meals from B&B Bagels. The gluten-free/specialty meals will be labeled separately and a Tau Beta Sigma member will help clarify which meal is for each. You can only get the specialty meal if it was specified on the order form.

8:45 AM – Tiger Walk – Corner of McDeaver & Champions Drive

*If you are interested in watching the pep rally at Tiger Walk, please join the TIGERS pep band. Marching Mizzou is split into three pep bands, so make sure to check in with your student to see if they are in MIZ, ZOU or TIGERS band as each band alternates each week.*

9:30 AM – Lunch is closed. Students will go to sectionals.

9:15 is a great time to get pictures with your student in uniform before they go to sectionals.

9:55 AM – Family members will begin to prepare to be in the parade – East Side of Hearnes Center behind the piccolo section near softball field.

10:10 AM – March to the Stadium

10:15 PM – Pep Rally at President Choi and Chancellor Cartwright’s Tailgate

*During the performance at Tiger Town, family members stand behind the band and watch from the hill, but it is highly recommend that family members go to their seats to watch the pre-game performance as soon as members get to Tiger Town formerly known as Truman’s Terrace.*

10:30 AM – Go to seats in Memorial Stadium to watch Marching Mizzou’s Pregame Performance.
10:40 AM – Marching Mizzou Pre-game Performance

11:00 AM – Kick-Off! M-I-Z!!! GO MIZZOU BEAT THE BULLDOGS!

12:45 AM - Halftime performance (estimated time)

1:30 PM - End of Game/Fight Song/Alma Mater in the stands (estimated time), POST-GAME PERFORMANCE in the stands

*Feel free to come closer to the band and watch us in the stands as we perform music from past shows and this weeks show!*

**Performance Will Include:**

- Theme from Spider-Man
- Greased Lightning/We Go Together
- Born to Hand Jive
- Drumline Showcase
- Every True Son & Fight Tiger (Mizzou’s Fight Songs)

1:45 PM – Approximate March to the Hearnes Center (estimated time)

2:00 PM - Alma Mater, Dismissal & Uniform Check In (estimated time)

**REMINDER:** Tickets for the Mizzou vs. Georgia game are not included in this event and must be picked up at the appropriate destination (Ticket Office at the Stadium or MU Student Center). Please go to [www.mutigers.com](http://www.mutigers.com) to order your tickets for the game. If you are picking up your tickets from the MU Student Center as a part of the Family Weekend package, please pick up your tickets before checking in for Marching Mizzou Family Day. The best sections to see Marching Mizzou in the stands would be sections 17-18.

**Other Information:**

- There is no seating at the practice field. Many parents will stand on the sidelines or in the end zone to watch rehearsal. Feel free to bring lawn chairs or blankets, but
Marching Mizzou does not have a place to store them during the game, so you will most likely need to bring it back to your car.

- Please do not leave anything of value in the Hearnes Center as Marching Mizzou and Tau Beta Sigma are not liable for any items lost during the day.

- Restrooms: We have two portable toilets located behind the instrument shed. The Hearnes Center has restrooms located on the main floor of the building when you enter through the press entrance. There are restrooms on the third floor of the Hearnes Center in the uniform room area where the game day meal will be served.

- Marching Mizzou Uniform Policy – Marching Mizzou will be wearing uniforms unless it hits 92 degrees, which is when we will wear our casual uniform. Right now the temperature says high of 71 degrees, but Missouri weather will change often that it is too soon to tell what it will be.

- Make sure you, your family members and your Marching Mizzou student(s) stay hydrated Friday and Saturday as we will all be outside for majority of the day when it is at the highest temperature.

- Family Weekend is one of the busiest weekends each year, so know that traffic will be higher than normal as well locations around Columbia for food will be busy as well after the game if you take your student to dinner.

CONTACT INFORMATION:

Marching Mizzou is so thankful for all of the support from our parents and family members! We honestly would not be able to do what we do without you! If you have any questions please reach out to Lanie at mizzoutbstreasurer@gmail.com before Game Day.

Safe travels to and from Columbia and we hope you all enjoy Family Weekend at Mizzou! Follow Us on Social Media!

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