**Important Contacts**

**Family & Graduate Housing Office**
Email: apartments@illinois.edu  
Phone: (217) 333-5656  
Hours: Monday-Friday 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. (closed on University Holidays)

**University Apartments**
Robert King  
Email: rking10@illinois.edu  
Phone: (217) 333-5664

**After-Hours On-Call Staff**
(217) 649-7705

**FHC Monthly Public Meeting**
Join the Family Housing Council for our monthly meeting on Friday, June 9 at 5:45 p.m at the Orchard Downs Community Center. Bring your ideas on community events and come and meet your neighbors.

**Pest Control:**  
Pest Management will be performing inspections and monitoring for Orchard Downs apartments 2116-1806 between Thursday, June 1 and Friday, June 30, 2017. Treatment (e.g., exclusion, baiting) performed only as needed. To request treatment, please visit go.illinois.edu/maintenance.

**Submit Maintenance Requests to:**  
go.illinois.edu/maintenance

**Study Room**  
Apartment 2102-104

**Orchard Downs Computer Lab**  
Apartment 2030-A

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**Orchard Street Road Construction Project Update**

The first phase of the roadway project will be complete no later than May 26 unless there are weather-related delays. Orchard Street will be accessible from Florida Avenue to Orchard Place. During the month of June, Orchard Street will be closed from the bus shelter by the office to the entrance of parking lot D. Phase 2 of the project will redo the roadway and add a sidewalk from the North Laundry to the office. The North Laundry parking lot and parking lot C will be closed during this phase of the project.

**MTO bus service continues to pick up on Race Street, George Huff, and at the corners of Florida and Orchard Street. Please review the schedule for details at www.cumtd.com.**

In June we will also repave parking lot G, however specific dates have not been confirmed. Exciting news—the re-paving of Orchard South roads (Orchard Street south of George Huff, and Hazelwood Drive) will not impact the parking lots. Residents will need to use caution when driving and obey traffic flagger staff who will direct traffic. Residents in parking lots K, L, M will not have to move their cars at this time.

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**A Final Fling THANK YOU!**

Thank you to all the staff, GAS, CAS, and volunteers who helped with our annual “Final Fling.” The event could not have happened without you! We appreciate you sharing your time and talents to make our end of the year event such a success. We also thank all of our residents who attended the picnic. Thank you for being a part of this very special event. We hope you enjoyed the food, activities, and time spent with family and friends.

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**Family Housing Council (FHC) Elections**

The FHC invites all residents interested to vote for the new board elections during FHC meeting on Friday, June 9 at 5:45 p.m. Voting is restricted to residents of the upcoming academic year 2017-2018. If you have questions about elections, please contact the FHC president Ahmed Orabi at aorabi@illinois.edu.

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**Kids’ Club Summer Program**

Registration takes place Monday, June 5 from 5:00–6:00 p.m. at the Orchard Downs Community Center. There is a $25.00 registration fee for new students.

**The summer session will begin Monday, June 12 and continue until Friday, August 4.**

Kids’ Club is a free program for children who are residents of University Apartments. Children must be 5 years of age and entering kindergarten in the fall. The program is held Monday through Friday from 3:00 to 5:30 PM at the Orchard Downs Community Center. The after school program offers social, recreational, and educational activities for the children. Children also participate in swimming field trips. The swimming fee is $3.00 per field trip. New families are encouraged to register. Kids’ Club is a great way to make new friends! For additional information please contact the Children’s Programming Coordinator Sara Jenkins at 333-5656 or jenkins@illinois.edu.
June Programs

Please note that we often take photographs during community events, and these photographs may be used in a gallery online. If you do not wish to have your photograph taken, please inform the staff member at the event or contact the Family & Graduate Housing office at apartments@illinois.edu or 333-5656.

National Spelling Bee TV Broadcasting
Thursday, June 1 from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m.
We invite you to watch the National Spelling Bee live on television. During commercial breaks, we will have our own Spelling Bee where you can win prizes for spelling! Food and beverages will be provided. For questions, please contact Maggie Phan mphan2@illinois.edu

Home Sweet Home: The Challenges of Returning Home
Thursday, June 1 at 4:00 p.m.
Have you moved to the United States from another country in the pursuit of education or employment? This workshop, facilitated by members from the Counseling Center, will provide an open discussion as well as tips, tricks, and activities that will allow members to reflect on the evolving beliefs and values that occur as a result. The topics will also focus on raising families between two cultures, and the experience of returning home permanently from international study or work. Join us for a great discussion, paired with interactive activities and snacks! Children must be supervised, all residents welcome. Questions? Contact Jenna Hickey at jhick3@illinois.edu

Birthday Bingo
Thursday, June 15 from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m.
Join us for a night of games and prizes. Also, do not forget about birthday cake! Happy Birthday to June babies!

Parent’s Night Out
Friday, June 23 from 6:00–8:00 p.m.
Looking for an opportunity to get out of the house, have a romantic night, or get some much needed shopping done? Sign up your kiddos for Parent’s Night Out! Qualified volunteers through Family & Graduate Housing will watch your children for 2 hours and provide snacks, a movie, and a variety of games and books for the little ones. Children MUST be registered in order to participate. Please fill out the registration form here: https://illinois.edu/fb/sec/8089007 by June 22nd. Questions? Contact Jenna Hickey at jhick3@illinois.edu

Family Housing Council Social Nights
Saturday, June 3 from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.
Saturday, June 17 from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.
Please join the Family Housing Council (FHC) for our monthly resident social. Suggestions for future social themes are appreciated!

Children’s Summer Safety: How to Stay Fun in the Sun!
Tuesday, June 6 from 2:00–4:00 p.m.
Join us for an informative workshop with McKinley. At this workshop we will talk to families about how to stay healthy while playing in the sun. The topics will include when and how to apply sunblock, what clothing to wear in the summer, and water safety. Fun activities and snacks will be provided! All residents welcome, children must be supervised. Questions? Contact Jenna Hickey at jhick3@illinois.edu.

Summer Movie Night
Friday, June 30 at 7:00 p.m.
Join us for a classic, family-friendly favorite that children and adults can both enjoy. A popcorn bar will be provided, and the movie will be shown on the projector! We encourage residents to bring blankets and pillows to lay on, and come early to find a spot on the floor. Questions? Contact Jenna Hickey at jhick3@illinois.edu

Family Saturday with Kites and Books
Saturday, June 10 at 10:00 a.m.–noon
Summer break is here and we would like to invite you and your family to enjoy a morning making your own kite and having fun with your neighbors. The Urbana Free Library will bring children books for reading. Email adrianysedna@gmail.com if you have questions. We hope to see you all there to read under a nice shade, fly your kite and have a great time!

Note: All programs are in the Orchard Downs Community Center, 510 George Huff Drive unless noted.
Community Programs

Parent-Child Playgroup in the Family Resource Center
Orchard Downs apt. 1834-A
Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:00 to 10:30 a.m.

New days and hours start Tuesday, June 6! Caregivers and children ages five and under participate in fun and educational activities such as crafts, music, story time, and snacks. We will be outside weather permitting, so plan accordingly. Contact Candace Brahm at brahm2@illinois.edu with questions.

Women’s Support Group in the Family Resource Center
Orchard Downs apt. 1834-A
Thursdays from 1:00 to 2:30 p.m.

Come join us for tea and conversation. The Women’s Support Group is a comfortable space for women to bond and learn new skills while supporting each other. There will be weekly workshops on a variety of topics such as art, cooking, stress-management, parenting, and more. Childcare will be provided. Contact Candace Brahm at brahm2@illinois.edu with questions.

International Women’s Connection

The International Women’s Connection (IWC) is a friendship & cultural exchange group that was started in 1987. Since then, hundreds of women have had the opportunity to practice English, make friends and learn about American culture. The group meets every Wednesday from 9:00 to 10:00 a.m. for a free English class and from 10:00 to 11:30 a.m. for various activities to help you adjust to American life. The location for the meetings is Twin City Bible Church, on the corner of Lincoln & Michigan Avenue, Urbana (approximately 6 blocks northwest of Orchard Downs). The IWC welcomes women of all nationalities or religious background and any level of English fluency. Childcare is also provided. For more information, visit www.iwc-tcbc.weebly.com or email Ruth at ruth.krehbiel@gmail.com.

Welcome to the World

At Family & Graduate Housing, we would like to welcome your newborn to our community with a small gift. This is our way of saying, “Welcome to the World!” If you have recently welcomed a new baby into your family, please contact Candace Brahm at brahm2@illinois.edu or the Family & Graduate Housing office at (217) 333-5656.

Yoga and Meditation Happy Hour at the Orchard Downs Community Center
Mondays from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. (starting June 5)

The Art of Living - UIUC Chapter works to promote the mental, emotional and physical well-being of members of the campus community with the help of yoga, meditation and breathing techniques. This is based on the belief that a stress-free individual builds a stress-free and violence-free society. The Yoga and Meditation Happy Hour will be a fun-filled session where you will practice yoga, meditation and breathing techniques to help the overworked mind settle down and let your inner peace shine through. Come, be happy!

COMING SOON:
Summer Fun for Children
Children’s Summer Fun Day Camp – “Deep Sea Adventures” will take place July 10–14 from 9:00 to 11:30 a.m. every morning at the Orchard Downs Community Center. This free program is open to any child entering Kindergarten through 5th grade. The program will include Bible stories, fun games, interesting crafts, Beautiful songs, delicious snacks, and special prizes! Also, a free celebration lunch for all the families will be held Friday, July 14. To register online go to tcbc.cc/daycamp. If you have questions you can email Ruth at ruth.krehbiel@gmail.com This event is open to children of all nationalities and religious backgrounds.

Sewing Room in the Learning Resource Center
Orchard Downs apt. 2044-A
June 3 and June 17 from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m.

Sewing machines and other equipment including scissors, pins, measuring tape, and thread are available for residents to use. The Sewing Room monitor is Patricia León paleonfotografia@gmail.com
MultiCultural Health Center

2040-A Orchard Street

The MultiCultural Health Center hosts a free medical clinic every Thursday from 6:00–8:00 p.m. This is a walk-in clinic staffed by volunteer medical students and supervised by a licensed medical professional. For several years, HeRMES has operated in partnership with area health clinics that serve the uninsured and underserved of Illinois.

CLINIC HOURS

Please call (217) 265-6267 to make an appointment during the scheduled hours listed below. Walk-ins are also welcome.

Wednesday 4–6 p.m.
Thursday 5–8 p.m.

For more information, please contact Robert King at rking10@illinois.edu.

HERMES: Every Thursday from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. Doors open at 5:30.

CCCHC SERVICES: Champaign County Christian Health Center is a non-profit clinic in our community located at Presence Community Resources Center on Wright St. on the Presence Hospital Campus, with a satellite office at the MultiCultural Health Center by appointment only. Please contact CCCHC through the appointment line, (217) 402-LOVE (5683), if you need assistance with primary care. For more information, visit: http://ccchc2003.org.

WOMAN, INFANTS AND CHILDREN (WIC) SERVICES: WIC services are provided for women, infants and children and are offered by the Champaign-Urbana Public Health District. Services for WIC participants include supplemental nutritious foods, nutrition education, counseling, screenings and referrals to other health services, welfare and social services, and immunizations for children.

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